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Arrivals.

Dec. 7, UNA, Brit. bg., 325, James, put back, leaky.—JOHNSON & Co.
Dec. 7, FEE-PANG, str., from Macao.
Dec. 8, EXONIAN, Brit. bq., 460, Mann, Ningpo, 3rd December, Sundries.—ADAM SCOTT & Co.
Dec. 8, PRINCE ALBERT, Brit. str., 188, Rowland, Hainan, West Coast, 4th December, Sundries.—ACHEONG.
Dec. 9, PHILOMELA, Brit. sh., 632, Archer, Yokohama, 30th November, Lead.—TURNER & Co.
Dec. 9, TIMAVO, Aus. bg., 218, Geo. Sandrinelli, Tientsin, 26th November, General.—WM. PUSTAU & Co.

Departures.

Dec. 8, MOUNTAIN ASH, for Macao.
Dec. 8, BARON KELLNER, for do.
Dec. 8, CATHERINE, for Whampoa.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, DECEMBER 8, 1865.
Electra, for Rangoon.
Prince Albert, str., for Hainan.
Eliza, for Saigon.
Oscar Vidal, for Whampoa.
Fanny, for Manila.
Undine, str., for Sawtow and Amoy.

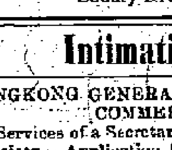
Passengers.

None.

Reports.

The British steamer *Yesso*, reports having left Foochow on the 5th, Amoy on the 6th, and Swatow on the 7th instant. During her passage down she experienced very fine weather. When off Rees Pass, she saw M.I. steamer *Duplex*; and off Breaker Point, to-day, the strs., *Ta-pang-nyo* and *Formosa* arrived in Swatow at noon on the 7th. The *Yesso* brings a large cargo of tea for transhipment to New York per the American ship *Gem of the Ocean*.—*Evening Mail*.

WHAMPOA SHIPPING.
ARRIVALS.
Dec. 1, Star King, from Hongkong
4, Rona, str., from do
DEPARTURES.
Dec. 3, South Western, str., for Hongkong
5, Fusi-yama, str., for do
5, H.M.S. Hesper, for Canton
7, Bothwell Castle, for New York
8, Pride of the Ganges, for Demerara



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Sundry Articles.

Intimations.

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tf 2421 Hongkong, 25th September, 1865.

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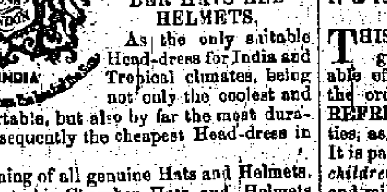
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2 Side Boards
1 Extention Dining Table
3 Marble Top Tables
2 Morocco Covered Couches
13 do do Easy Chairs
15 do do Chairs
And,
4 Large Pier Glasses
10 casks Sill's Butter.
100 Japan Salmon
30 piculs Potatoes.
30 Billiard Lamps and Reflectors.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
Hongkong, 7th December, 1865.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
OF CROWN LANDS.
A PUBLIC AUCTION of Crown Lands, will be held on
MONDAY,
11th December, 1865—(on the Ground)
Commencing at the Old Central Police Station Wellington Street—at 10 A.M.—and continuing the sale in the order of sale published in the Government Gazette.
Terms and Conditions of Sale,
And Plan of the Allotments can be seen upon application at the Surveyor General's Office.
GEORGE A. F. NORRIS, *Government Auctioneer.*
Hongkong, 5th December, 1865.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co., will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on
TUESDAY,
the 12th December, 1865,—at Noon.
AT THEIR SALE ROOMS, QUEEN'S ROAD.
40 cases Oilman's Stores and preserved Vegetables.
20 dozens Salmon in 1 and 2-lb Tins.
10 cases Fresh Herrings.
48 dozens assorted Confectionery.
10 cases Matches.
60 Rifles and Swords.
100 pair of Pistols
50 drums of Paint Oil.
200 tins assorted Paints.
100 boxes Palm Soap.
20 coils Hemp Packing.
15 coils Europe and Manila Rope
50 barrels Coaltar.
Also to close a consignment,
25 cases Salad Oil (Plagniol)
25 „ Sauterne.
80 „ Claret.
76 „ Cognac, different brands.
5 „ Sherry.
5 „ Port.
30 „ Cherry Cordial.
A quantity of Stomach Bitters.
And,
An Invoice of English made Saddlery from Rand and Brokly, comprising Ladies and Gents Saddles, Bridles, Harness, etc., etc.
60 pieces White Flannels.
15 „ Doeskins, etc.
20 dozens Crimean Shirts.
An Invoice of Gilt Jewellery.
2 cases Red White, Blue and Yellow Bunting.
3 „ Parasols.
Also,
20 Bales containing each 250 Felt Soles for Chinese Shoes.
&c., &c., &c.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed 7.1.7.
Hongkong, 9th December, 1865.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF VALUABLE LAND & HOUSES.
In re the Estate of HYM AKEE *deceased.*
MESSRS BOWRA & Co., have received instructions from N. R. MASSON, Esq., Official Administrator to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on
WEDNESDAY,
the 13th December, 1865,—at Noon,
On the Ground, (in one Lot,)
These Valuable LOTS OF LAND, with the Buildings thereon erected, known and registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOTS 336 and 337, situated at Sookunpoo, near Jardine's Bazaar.
Lot 336 measures N. & E. 20 feet, S. & W. 20 feet, S. & E. 40 feet, N. & W. 40 feet, in all 800 Square feet; Crown Rent, $14 per annum.
Lot 337 measures N. 40 feet, S. 40 feet, E. 40 feet, W. 40 feet, in all 1600 Square feet; Crown Rent, $28 per annum.
Term of Crown Lease 999 years from 25th June 1-51.
TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the Purchase-money to be paid upon fall of the hammer, the remaining half upon completion of the transfer, expense of which to be paid by the Purchaser; in Mexican Dollars at 7.1.7, failing which the deposit to be forfeited and the Property resold at the first Purchaser's Risk and Expense. The Property as soon as knocked down to be at the Purchaser's Risk.
Hongkong, 7th December, 1865.

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on
TUESDAY,
the 19th December, 1865—at Noon,
At his residence, Caine Road West,
ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, etc. etd., the property of
GRAHAM ANDERSON, Esq.,
comprising Walnut Satin Damask Covered Drawing Room Suites, Embroidered Green Silk Rep Window Curtains, Mirror Console, Pier Mirrors, Chandeliers, Carpets, Engravings, Electro Plate, Crystal and Crockery Ware, Cutlery, Washstands and Toilet Tables, Toilet Mirrors, etc., etc.
And,
(Unless previously disposed of privately)
A Carriage and Pair of Grey Java Ponies.
Catalogues are now ready.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
Hongkong, 9th December, 1865.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE undersigned have instructions to sell by Public Auction, (unless previously disposed of by private contract) on
THURSDAY,
the 21st December next, on the Premises, the well constructed three-storied HOUSE, No. 1 situated in the corner of Governor's Lane, at present in the occupation of "Escola Macaense."
J. DA SILVA,
Macao, 2nd December, 1865.

TO SHIPMASTERS AND OTHERS.
TENDERS will be received by the Undersigned for conveyance, by Steam or Sailing Vessel to Yokohama of about 100 Tons of Naval and Military Stores, and 20 Barrels of Gun-Powder.
A. H. PRICE,
Naval Storekeeper.
tf 2668 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

ARMY SERVICES.
NOTICE.
TENDERS will be received by the Assistant Commissary General at or before noon on the 14th December 1865, for the performance of the undermentioned Painters Work.
Contract No. 1.—Painting externally the Military Hospital and outbuildings appertaining thereto.
Contract No. 2.—Painting externally the Officer's Quarters, and outbuildings appertaining thereto, at Stanley Barracks
Contract No 3.—Painting internally and externally the Soldiers quarters and Hospital with the outbuildings appertaining thereto at Stanley Barracks.
Specifications, Terms and Conditions of Contract can be seen, and all information relative to the above services obtained, at the Royal Engineer Office, Queen's Road, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 3 P.M. on any day, Sundays excepted.
No tender will be recognized unless the party making it shall previously register his name in the Royal Engineer Office, where proper "forms" for tendering upon may be obtained.
The War Department reserves to itself the right to reject the whole or any of the tenders.
Controller's Office Commissariat.
HENRY ROBINSON, A. C. G.
tf 2986 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

TO SHIPMASTERS AND OTHERS.
TENDERS will be received by the undersigned at or before Noon, on MONDAY, the 11th of December, for the conveyance of about 140 Military Invalids, to England calling at Anger, the Cape of Good Hope and St. Helena, or Ascension.
The Tenders should show the rate for Officers from that for men, in the event of any being sent.
The Ship to provide Water, Water Casks, Fuel Cooking Galleys, Hatchway Ladders, Awnings and Windsails, also the necessary fittings including Bedding if required, for Cabins.
The provisions for the men will be provided by the Crown, but the Master of the Vessel will be held responsible for them, and will have to render proper account of their expenditure.
A draft of the Charter Party is open for inspection at this Office, where further particulars can be obtained.
ALFRED H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper,
tf 2895 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1865.

IN THE SUPREME COURT IN BANKRUPTCY.
IN THE MATTER OF JAMES BAKER.
NOTICE.
JAMES BAKER of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, Trader, having been adjudged bankrupt under a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the said Supreme Court on the 28th day of August 1865, a public sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination and make application for his discharge, will be held before the Honorable Henry John Ball, Esquire, Acting Chief Justice of the said Court at the Supreme Court House Victoria Hongkong, on the eleventh day of December, 1865, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, Mr. Norman Ramsay Masson, Supreme Court House is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Francis Innes Hazeland, is the Solicitor Acting in the Bankruptcy.
tf 2910 Hongkong, 4th December, 1865.

IN THE SUPREME COURT IN BANKRUPTCY.
IN THE MATTER OF LOUIS PROMOLI.
NOTICE.
LOUIS PROMOLI of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, Trader, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the said Supreme Court on the 16th day of September 1865, a public sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination and make application for his discharge will be held before the Honorable Henry John Ball Esquire, Acting Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House Victoria Hongkong, on the eleventh day of December, 1865, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely. Mr. Norman Ramsay Masson, Supreme Court House, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Henry Charles Caldwell is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.
tf 2911 Hongkong, 4th December, 1865.

IN THE SUPREME COURT IN BANKRUPTCY.
IN THE MATTER OF EDWARD CARPENTER.
NOTICE.
EDWARD CARPENTER of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, Trader, having been adjudged Bankrupt, under a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the said Supreme Court on the 30th day of August 1865 a public sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination and make application for his discharge will be held before the Honorable Henry John Ball, Esquire, Acting Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House Victoria, Hongkong, on the eleventh day of December, 1865, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely. Mr Norman Ramsay Masson, Supreme Court House, is the Official Assignee, and Mr Francis Innes Hazeland, is the Solicitor, acting in the Bankruptcy.
tf 2912 Hongkong, 4th December, 1865.

IN THE SUPREME COURT IN BANKRUPTCY.
IN THE MATTER OF ALEXANDER BATH LE POER POWER
NOTICE.
ALEXANDER BATH LE POER POWER of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, Trader, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the said Supreme Court on the eighth day of November 1865, a public sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination, and make application for his discharge, will be held before the Honorable Henry John Ball, Esquire, Acting Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House Victoria, Hongkong, on the eleventh day of December, 1865, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely. Mr Norman Ramsay Masson, Supreme Court House, is the Official Assignee.
tf 2901 Hongkong, 4th December, 1865.

Amusements.

GRAND CONCERT.
UNDER THE DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENCY
MAJOR GENERAL COMMANDING AND THE OFFICERS OF THE GARRISON.
THE GARRISON
GLEE AND MADRIGAL SOCIETY.
Will give their Second Concert in the Recreation Room, North Barracks, which has been kindly granted for the occasion by the Commandant, Colonel WYATT,
ON
SATURDAY EVENING,
the 9th December, 1865.
Tickets can be obtained from pay Sergeants, or at the Door from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the day of Concert.
Ladies and Gentlemen are most respectfully requested to take the Seats bearing the number of their Tickets.
Prices of Admission, Reserved Seats One Dollar, Front Seats 50 Cents, Back seats 20 cents, Doors open at seven p.m. to commence at Eight precisely.
VIVAT REGINA.
3d 2953 Hongkong, 7th December, 1865.

Intimations.

STEAM TO
SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHOW.
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer
"AZOF,"
will leave for the above Ports, TO-DAY, the 9th Instant, at 5 P.M.
THOS. SUTHERLAND, *Superintendent.*
2963 Hongkong, 9th December, 1865.

FOR SALE.
FRESH Bengal GRAM in quantities to suit purchasers.
Apply to
JOHN ROBERTS SENR. & Co. Wellington Street.
tf 2963 Hongkong, 9th December, 1865.

"MAGGIE LAUDER," FROM CALCUTTA.
CONSIGNEES of cargo by the above named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their goods.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
1w 2944 Hongkong, 9th December, 1865.

FOR NINGPO AND SHANGHAI.
THE Hamburg Steamer
"CHINA,"
Shortly expected from Canton, will be despatched in a few days for the above places.
For freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSSEN & Co.
tf 2965 Hongkong, 9th December, 1865.

FOR SINGAPORE.
THE A 1 British Ship
"PEVERIL OF THE PEAK,"
Captain Lottus, of 7.3 Tons Register, will be despatched for the above port on Thursday, the 14th inst, at daylight.
For freight or Passage, apply to
DENT & Co.
tf 2966 Hongkong, 9th December, 1865.

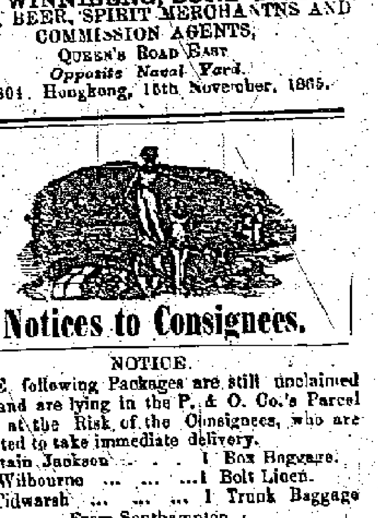
FOR SINGAPORE.
THE A 1 British Ship
"FORTUNA,"
Captain Whorton, of 780 Tons Register, will have immediate despatch for the above Port.
For freight or Passage, apply to
DENT & Co.
tf 2967 Hongkong, 9th December, 1865.

FOR CANTON.
THE Steamer "*KIU KIANG*," Captain Taylor, on MONDAY next, the 11th instant, at 9 A.M.
This Steamer will run regularly between Hongkong and Canton, in conjunction with the Steamer "*Plymouth Rock*," Captain Newton, as follows:—
Leaving Hongkong every Monday, Wednesday and Friday; and Canton every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 9 A.M.
RUSSELL & Co.
1w 2968 Hongkong, 9th December, 1865.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.
THE departure of the Steam-ship
"UNDINE,"
Capt. Pitman, is postponed until TO-MORROW, the 10th Instant at 8 A.M.
For Freight or Passage apply to
D. LAPRAIK.
tf 2962 Hongkong, 9th December, 1865.

FRENCH DISPENSARY.
QUEEN'S ROAD, 108, HONGKONG.
L. FIGUEIREDO & Co., actual proprietors of the above Establishment, beg respectfully to inform the Public that their Dispensary is being put in better condition to satisfy all demands in French, English, Spanish and Portuguese, as they have already received, and will periodically receive, drugs and Chemicals from the best Houses in London, Paris and Lisbon.
Mr. L. FIGUEIREDO being a Pharmaceutic-Chemist under a Royal Charter, and at present Manager of the French Dispensary, can guarantee to the Public the good quality of his drugs and hopes to deserve their patronage.
Masters of Ships will find every requisite to provide their Medicine Chests on very moderate terms.
tf 2016 Hongkong, 7th December, 1865.

H. WINNIBERG, SONS & CO.
WINE, BEER, SPIRIT MERCHANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS,
QUEEN'S ROAD EAST
Opposite Naval Yard.
tf 2801 Hongkong, 15th November, 1865.



Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE.
THE following Packages are still unclaimed and are lying in the P. & O. Co.'s Parcel Room at the Risk of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.
Captain Jackson ... ... 1 Box Baggage.
Mr Wilbourne ... ... 1 Bolt Linen.
„ Tidwarsh ... ... 1 Trunk Baggage
From Southampton.
E G B D (in heart) 1 case Merchandise.
H L & Co, 11/46 36 „ Rifles.
O T L & E 25 in diamond 1 case Rifles.
N P N (in heart) 101/142 1 pkg. Samples.
From Trieste.
R M 15 1 case Sundries.
N (in diamond N F A 1 parcel Samples.
tf 2918 Hongkong, 5th December, 1865.

BARQUE "*Magthora*" Captain Taylor from Singapore. Consignees of Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery.
GILMAN & Co.
tf 2866 Hongkong, 25th November, 1865.

THE Consignees of Cargo per "*Roslin Castle*" Capt. Nicoll from Singapore are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods.
GILMAN & Co.
tf 2863 Hongkong, 25th November, 1865.

"*VIOLET*," FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of cargo by the above mentioned vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their goods.
Those having the option of delivery at Whampoa will please state at once at which port they intend to take delivery.
BIRLEY & Co.
tf 2853 Hongkong, 23rd November, 1865.

"*SYDNEY EGGERS*" FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of cargo by the above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their goods. Those having the option of delivery at Whampoa are requested to state at once at which port they intend receiving their goods.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
tf 2841 Hongkong, 22nd November, 1865.

NOTICE.
THE following Cases are still unclaimed, and are lying in the Messageries Imperiales Parcel Room at the Risk of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.
L
B (in diamond), ... 1 Case Books.
J L & Co., No. 11, ... 1 do. Glass-ware.
Pascole Pastorethy, ... 1 do. Preserves.
E S (in triangle) F A D ... chests Merchandise
4/6 12/13
F A D 710 1472/3 102 ... 5 do. do.
F B 3975/9 ... 5 do. do.
tf 2801 Hongkong, 17th November, 1865.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS, at ABERDEEN and WHAMPOA, are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which this Establishment offers for the Docking and Repair of Vessels.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the Public.

ABERDEEN DOCKS.

DOCK No. 1.

Built of Granite.

Length	330 feet.
Breadth	80 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	18½ "
Do. Neap Tides	16 "

NEW DOCK, No. 2.

Built of Granite.

Length	400 feet.
Breadth	90 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	24 "
Do. Neap Tides	21½ "

This Dock is now under course of construction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.

DOCK A.

Built of Granite.

Length,	550 feet
Breadth,	80 "
Depth of Water at Spring Tides	16½ a 17 ft.
do. Neap "	13½ a 15 "

This can be used either as one or two Docks.

DOCK B.

Built of Granite.

Length,	310 feet
Breadth,	69 "
Depth of Water at Spring Tides,	18 feet
do. Neap do.	15 "

This Dock is at present in course of alteration. The above are the largest Docks in China, and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.

Built of Wood.

Length,	260 ft.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides.	14 "
do. do Neap,	11 "

Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

DOCK D.

Length,	164 feet
Depth of Water at Spring Tides,	16,6 "
do. do. Neap "	9,6 "

DOCK E.

Length,	120 feet
Depth of Water at Spring Tides	11 "
do. do. Neap "	8 "

D. and E. are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c.—capable of executing work on the largest scale, and driven by steam. The Shipwright's and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans.

Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty, alongside which vessels can lie in 24 feet water and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKER'S DEPARTMENTS.

The Company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steam-ships, for constructing which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY.

Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, are executed with the utmost despatch.

STORES.

The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c.

STEAM TUG.

The Company's powerful Steam TUG Fame, (110 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow sailing vessels from Hongkong to the Dock free of charge, and will take them back or to Sea at reduced Rates.

For further particulars apply to G. N. MINTO, General Manager at the Office of the Company in Hongkong.

D. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

N.B.—The Consignees or Master of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

Hongkong, April 3, 1865.

PORT OF AMOY.

SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS, and COMMANDERS, are informed that the DOCK COMPANY'S ESTABLISHMENTS, at the above Port, afford every facility for Repairing and Sparring Vessels and for Cleaning and Painting Iron and Steam Ships.

Their large GRANITE DOCK, 286 feet long on the Blocks, is in complete Working order, and at average Spring tides can take Vessels Drawing 16 to 17 feet Water. The Dock is fitted with a Caisson Gate and with a Centrifugal Steam Pump of great power ensuring despatch in all states of the tide. An ample stock is kept on hand of Timber, Oregon Spars, Sheathing Copper and Yellow Metal, and of every description of Material required for Dock Yard use.

The Premises comprise an Engineer's Workshop, a large Smithy and Carpenter's Workshops, and the Works are superintended by Resident Europeans, viz., a Shipwright, an Engineer, and a Blacksmith. Dry Godowns for the reception of Vessels stores &c., when requiring to discharge them.

tf 966 23m Amoy, March 1865.

DANES ISLAND DOCKS, WHAMPOA.

CONDUCTED BY GOW & Co.

ONE DOCK, 240 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 14 feet, at Spring Tides.

One Dock, 160 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 11 feet, at Spring Tides.

There are Houses at both Docks for the accommodation of Captains and Crews of Vessels.

All kinds of Ship, and Blacksmiths Work done.

The Large Dock pumped out by an Engine.

The Proprietors beg to notify the Merchants, Ship Owners, and Captains, that their charges for Docking are lower than any in China.

No Commission charged upon any Metal or Stores supplied by the Ship.

Apply to

JOHN BIACH & Co, *Hongkong;* or to
MR. JAMES BADENOCH, *Manager, Whampoa.*

tf Hongkong, 4th September, 1865.

FOOCHOWI DOCK, MARNOI POINT, RIVER MIN.

THE undersigned respectfully begs to notify to Commanders, and Consignees of Ships, that the above Granite Floored Dock is now ready to receive Vessels; Its dimensions are as follow:—length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet at top 95 feet, depth of water on the sill, Spring Tides, average 18 feet, Neaps 15 feet.

The Dock is fitted with a Caisson Gate and is pumped out by steam in two hours. The Shipwrights' department, under the superintendence of an experienced European Shipwright, contains a large stock of Australian and other hardwoods, Oregon Pine Lumber from one inch thick to eighteen inches square; also Spars from thirty inches, at partners. In connection with the above is a Steam Saw Mill to insure despatch in work.

The Blacksmiths' department, under the superintendence of an experienced European, is also well supplied.

Dry Godowns, and a large Hulk for the reception of Cargo, or Stores.

JOHN C. SKEY, *Manager.*

tf 1168 Foochow, 18th April 1865.

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY.

THE Third Call of Fifty Dollars ($50) per Share on the new Stock of the HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, is due on the 1st January Next, and is payable at the "Agra and Masterman's Bank," Receipts for the payment of which will be granted by the Manager.

By Order of the Directors.

D. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

tf 2172 Hongkong, 27th November, 1865.

Docks.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters to their Establishments at WHAMPOA, which offer every facility for the DOCKING and REPAIR of Vessels of all classes.

Their DOCKS in Whampoa, which comprise Four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Years, and are now in good Working Condition.

The DOCKS are pumped out by a Steam Pump in Five hours, and capable of taking in Vessels drawing 15½ feet at Spring Tides.

The WORK SHOPS comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmiths, Boiler Maker, and Foundry—possessing all the necessary appliances for the Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam Machinery.

The STORES in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable Terms.

A JETTY, with a powerful Lifting Shears, longside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c.

A STEAM TUG always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to sea at Reduced Rates.

All Work carried on under the superintendence of experienced Europeans.

For further particulars, apply to

J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary,*
or CAPT. T. B. RENNELL, *Manager at Whampoa.*

N.B.—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

tf 950 Hongkong, 21th March, 1865.

NOTICE. UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA. (LIMITED.)

THE Third Call of Two Hundred Dollars ($200) per Share is due on the 6th January next and is payable at the COMMERCIAL BANK CORPORATION OF INDIA AND THE EAST receipts for the payment of which will be granted by the Manager.

Interest at the rate of twelve per centum per Annum will be charged on all calls unpaid after the above date.

By order of the Directors,

J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary.*

tf 2753 Hongkong, 8th November, 1865.

The Bangkok Dock Company's. NEW DOCK.

THIS Magnificent Dock is now ready to receive Vessels of any burthen and the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters is respectfully solicited to the advantages for Repairing and Sparring Vessels, which no other Dock in the East can offer.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the public.

The Dimensions and Depth of water being:

Length	300 feet. (to be extended)
Breadth	100 feet.
Depth of Water	15 "

The Dock is fitted with a Caisson, has a splendid entrance of 120 feet from the River with a spacious Jetty on each side, where Vessels of any size may lay at any state of the Tides, to lift Masts, Boilers etc—with Powerful Lifting Shears, which are now in the course of construction.

The Dock is fitted with Steam Pumps of Great Power insuring Dispatch in all states of the Tides.

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops comprise the different departments of *Ship-wrights, Mast and Block Makers, Blacksmiths, Engineers, Foundry, etc.*

The whole being superintended by Europeans, who have had many years experience in the different branches.

The *Workmen* are the best picked men from Hongkong and Whampoa.

The Company draws particular attention to the Great advantages this Dock offers, being in a Port where the best Teak and other Timber can be had at the cheapest cost.

A *Steam Saw Mill* is also in connection with the Dock to insure dispatch in work.

The *Keel Blocks* are 4 feet in height and can be taken out of or shifted without cutting or causing any expense to ships having to get them removed.

The Company is also prepared to give estimates or enter into Contracts for the repairs of Wooden or Iron Ships; the Building of New Ships, Steam Boats, etc., or any kind of work connected with shipping.

All Material supplied at Market price. Vessels for Docking may lay at the Company's Buoys or Wharf free of charge until ordered to remove by the Superintendent.

Captains of Vessels before leaving the Dock must approve and sign their Dockage Bills.

All communications respecting the docking to be addressed *unto further notice* to the undersigned, by whom all Bills will be signed and collected.

JOHN BUSH. *Managing Director.*

Bangkok, 18th. Sept. 1865.
1y 2828 Hongkong, 20th October, 1865.

Banks.

THE BANK of HINDUSTAN, CHINA and JAPAN (Limited).

Capital, Four Millions Sterling.
In 40,000 Shares of £100 each, of which, only £25 is to be called up,
Called up £1,000,000.
Paid up, £361,000.
Reserved Fund, £105,000.
Head Office, No. 1 Bank Buildings, E.C. London.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman.—JAMES. NUGENT DANIELL, Esq.
Deputy Chairman.—RICHARD SPOONER, Esq.

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ARCHIBALD STEWART, *Manager.*

tf 2084 Hongkong, 4th August, 1865.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

PROPRIETORS of the Company's Stock are hereby informed that, in accordance with a Resolution passed this day by the Court of Directors, it is now optional to them, on applying to this Office, to have their Shares registered in either of the Bank's Branches or Agencies, at Shanghai, Calcutta, Bombay, or London, and that transfers of the Company's Shares may thenceforward be effected at any of the above places of registration; such transfers to be in the first instance approved of by the local Representatives of the Bank.

V. KRESSER, *Manager.*

tf 2807 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

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FRANCIS ANDREWS, *Manager.*

Hongkong, 15th June, 1864.

DEPARTURES OF STEAMERS.

The "*Azof,*" leaves for Swatow, Amoy and Foochowfoo, To-day the 9th Instant, at 5 P.M.

The "*Labourdonnais,*" leaves for Shanghai, on Sunday morning, the 10th Instant, at 6 A.M.

The "*Suwonada,*" leaves for S.hai, To-day, the 9th Instant, at 5 P.M.

The "*Undine,*" leaves for Swatow, Amoy and Foochow, To-morrow, the 10th Instant, at 8 A.M.

The Str. "*Oriflamme,*" leaves for Shanghai, on the 13th December.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG: DECEMBER 9, 1865.

WE have a private letter from London, which states that a rumour was in circulation, that on Sir Richard Graves Macdonnell landing in Ireland, he was arrested by mistake for one of the Fenian leaders.

FROM the announcement contained in our first page, it will be observed that the second Garrison Concert will come off to-night at the recreation room North Barracks.

The public may confidently rely on a most amusing and spirited entertainment.

THERE is rather a good joke going about. The P. & O. steam tender *Dragon* was sent round to Aberdeen the other day, and as the party in charge desired to give some friends who accompanied him a "bit of an airing," he took the Ly-ee-moon route. Upon reaching the open, the *Clan Alpine* was espied in a nook in the offing. The *Dragon* steamed round her, but nothing living nor moveable could be discerned. The dodger was caught napping, and insisted upon pretending to be asleep.

We wish this East Point failing was put a stop to. It is very detrimental to the interests of news-paper property. If the shippers of Opium and the Post Office authorities will sanction the abuse by tolerating it, why of course steam-boat owners who practise it cannot be blamed for their selfishness. And, by the same token, news-papers whose interests the step injures, have an equal right to denounce a habit which although happily unique at present, is liable to breed retaliation.

WE have more than once felt compelled to animadvert on the general conduct and bearing of the Shanghai Press, and we had no occasion to expect anything approaching favorable consideration at their hands. The most objectionable feature in the charges we have laid at the doors of our contemporaries, is their designing reticence, and the wilful artful manner in which they habitually mislead the public.

In this respect the *North China Herald,* is and has ever been the most abject journal that has ever come under our notice—and this remark applies with equal force and effect, to its diurnal progeny, the *North China Daily News.* Our contemporary is simply a Mandarin hack. The Footai Li, through the medium of his "devoted slave" Mr. Alabaster, made the Herald his paper. Excellent information was obtained of a nature favorable to the Imperial cause, but the truth was carefully concealed and suppressed if it told favorably for the insurgents. In the same manner precisely, all the abuses and the questionable practices of which Shanghai was the cesspool were carefully glossed over, simply and (we say avowedly) lest offence should be caused and the subscription list disturbed.

Naturally and inevitably, under such circumstances, our contemporary had to sit in the seat of the scornful, and, setting himself up as an Oracle on Chinese political matters treats any attack upon himself with supercilious retaliation. Anything approaching to argument was always, and ever is, carefully eschewed, because it could lead to nothing but an aggravated admission of the charges laid. We submit that this is the natural and inevitable consequence of a deviation on the part of a journalist from the paths of independence, rectitude and probity.

We had no notion however, that these natural results would lead to a degree of blind malevolence which absolutely crops out so copiously as to absorb veracity. In the issue of the *North China Daily News* of the 30th ulto there is contained a most violent and unbecoming attack upon ourselves, for having held up to comparison the different policies of Sir F. Bruce and Sir R. Alcock. The former, our readers are doubtless aware, was a patron of our contemporary, and therefore one of the Saints of his creed. The ruinous policy of Sir F. Bruce has become so palpable, that instead of our contemporary admitting what he clearly keenly feels, he pours the phial of his wrath on our devoted head. As he attacks both our consistency and our principles, we must be allowed a little space in our columns to defend ourselves.

After expressing surprise at the "decided tone of consideration" which we display towards Sir R. Alcock, our contemporary lays his first charge, which runs thus. "To say "the least of it, it is imprudent" (the Si Oracle) "for as the course of a few months "will in all probability find the *Daily Press* "branding the new Minister as *another of the* "*Bruce faction,* unkind critics may be induced again to point out to that now celebrated "newspaper as the model of weather cock "journalism."

The reader will at once see that the tenor and object of our contemporary is to weaken our remarks approving of Sir R. Alcock and condemnatory of Sir F. Bruce, by making it appear that we are a fickle journalist who always admires a new thing as a child does a toy. The truth however tells terribly against our contemporary. Certainly on the advent of the Bruces, we did not condemn them until we could plainly see what course they intended to follow. When their Mandarin worshipping proclivities broke out, when we saw that Customs Mercenaries and members of the staff were made synonymous, that the employés of a treacherous foe were admitted to the Councils and the confidence of the Envoy; that British trade was taxed to replenish the treasury of the Chinese at the very time we were fighting with them—that the British mercantile community were classed as smugglers with pirates, so as to denude their disapprobation of the course pursued of the weight which the opinion of the merchants would have otherwise exercised. When we saw that stab in the back which Lord Elgin administered to Sir Michael Seymour and the miserable falsehood which his Lordship told in the House of Lords regarding it—when we observed His Lordship's secretary of Legation join the Custom Mercenaries, and whilst receiving Imperial pay, serve in Desborough's battery in the attack on Peking. When we saw that the treacherous slaughter of four hundred of our brave troops at Taku, under the very eyes of Sir F. Bruce, made no difference in His Excellency—when we heard that after the Convention of Peking, Sir Frederic dare not occupy the Yamun assigned to his Legation, but left a student Interpreter for the winter to test the safety of the experiment. When in the face of all this, we saw that his subsequent career was one series of acts of Manda in devotion, involving intense hatred to his countrymen, a sacrifice of British interests, and a violation of reiterated promises of neutrality;—we certainly did denounce the man's public acts to the best of our ability—and of course, as our contemporary supported those acts, he is pleased to call our denouncement abusive, which it was not.

Further on in the article under review, our contemporary accuses us of having interested motives in the course we have pursued relative to the Bruces. He could hardly have fallen into a greater error. We have a strong repugnance to speaking of ourself, but the treatment we received regarding our Canton claim is notorious, and bears directly on the point at issue. It was the strongest claim on the list, and yet Sir F. Bruce expunged it. For three years did he keep us dancing after it, and it was not until peremptory orders from the Foreign Office were sent to Peking that we obtained a portion of our just rights.

And now for Sir Rutherford Alcock. Upwards of twenty years ago we were admirers of Sir Rutherford, with whom we always precisely agreed on that stumbling block to foreign relations with China, the exterritoriality clause. We will tell our contemporary something which will convey to him a small idea of the importance we attach to his remarks. Long before the days of steam in China, the writer of these lines ran clippers on the Coast. These used to bring merchandise down from Shanghai on ship's account, which merchandise, if accompanied by duty chops was admitted into Canton, duty free. Consul Alcock stopped the duties at Shanghai and also the Junk trade, to coerce the Mandarins into the observance of a treaty right, and he finally succeeded. During the time the trade was thus stopped, the clippers above alluded to came down without the duty chops, because the Mandarins would not grant them, and the consequence was that we had to give full security for the duties at Canton. On the resumption of trade at Shanghai the Mandarins refused to give the duty chops on goods shipped off by Chinese (which ours were) until the duties had been paid up on all the Tea and Silk which had been shipped off by foreigners. The consequence was that our Canton sureties were enforced and we had to pay some few thousand dollars. But, we admired Consul Alcock's proceeding so much, that instead of protesting against him and threatening to hold him responsible, as all the others interested did, we addressed him a highly complimentary letter—to which he sent a suitable reply.

So much for the chances of a change in our views relative to Sir Rutherford Alcock.

We stated in the notice which our contemporary attacks, that the Chinese government is about to pay something for the services of British gun boats employed in the suppression of piracy, and that the Governor General of Canton had sanctioned British cruizers to sink burn and destroy anything their commanders might please on the West Coast of China, which His Excellency had denounced as a district inhabited by pirates and outlaws. Our contemporary does not exactly put this in the manner we did. He makes the West Coast, the South and South East coasts—clearly not knowing what the term West Coast means. He will please excuse our informing him—it applies to the Coast from Macao to Hainan. After this slight geographical hallucination, he thus condemns us. He says our statements "appear so utterly "incomprehensible in theory as well as so "unlikely ever to come into practise, that we "are compelled to assume their falsity until "their truth is fully proved." Observe gentle reader the word *fully,*—there is a precious Sir Oracle—this is the man who holds himself up as the pattern of a literary journalist, and who cannot deign to notice his local contemporaries because if their pot house and abusive propensities. Had he said our statement required confirmation we could have comprehended him—or had he said they were incomprehensible to himself we should not have been denuded of hope—but to condemn them as *utterly* incomprehensible to the world and as requiring to be *fully* proved to his own satisfaction, is decidedly discouraging. Our authority for the statements is so undoubted, that we do not hesitate to stake our veracity on them. Will that suit our contemporary? Let him take a note of them and so will we. Does he know that our gun boats *do now operate* on the West Coast, upon the authority of the Governor General of the Two Kwang to sink, burn, and destroy, afloat or on shore?

The man's superciliousness exceeds belief. Let us give his own words—we lack language to indicate our disapproval of such writing.

"That the English government should de-"mand payment for the services rendered to "foreign trade in China by the presence of a "few shaky gun-boats which have on several "occasions proved incompetent to the task "which they are supposed to accomplish, is "out of the pale of probability, but that the "Chinese should agree, except at the cannon's "mouth, to pay any such demand, is simply "impossible. As to the permission to "sink, "burn and destroy all and everything found "ashore or afloat on the west coast of China," "we can only smile at our contemporary's "ludicrous credulity if he really believes a tale "so monstrous. We till now thought that "the journalists in Shanghai had sunk to the "lowest ebb of literary destitution, but we "have discovered a still deeper depth in the "columns of the *Hongkong Daily Press.*"

"Few shaky gun boats" for sooth. However shaky they may be, the seabord of China would have been in the hands of pirates long ago, but for their services. Still we admit that Mr. Gladstone is a cheeseparer.

He then impugns the veracity of a document which our Evening Contemporary published as the translation of an Imperial Edict relative to the opening of Chao-Chao. We reproduced this and adduced it as one of many instances of the change which the advent of Sir Rutherford Alcock had effected in the Mandarin mind. We distinctly gave up our authority, but nevertheless our Shanghai contemporary seeks to fasten the alleged fabrication upon us. His ground of disbelief in the document is that *he can't find it!*

The charge of inconsistency against us is based on the fact that we changed our opinion about the Taipings. We hold the Mandarins in a deep detestation and it was our belief that a successful rebellion to their rule would be a great blessing. On this point we have never changed our views. The question arose in our mind as to whether the Taipings were fit to govern—whether they were entitled to a political status or not. From information that we received, we were induced to believe favorably of them, and so we supported them. Subsequently we found that we had been misled, and we went against them. But surely it redounds to a man's credit that he should change his mind when it was made to appear to him that he had arrived at conclusions on wrong information! "A fool never changes his mind, but a wise man may."

WE call attention to the fact, that since the publication of the list of gambling houses broken into and suppressed, which we gave a few days since, seven others have shared the same fate, several of which are new premises hired by the capitalists who have been so summarily ejected from the others. Our new Acting Registrar General seems to entertain a tender sympathy for the moral welfare of these innocent but infatuated natives; he seems bent on keeping them off gambling; and the ubiquitous P. C. (Mather) whose visits cannot be said to be like those of angels, is decidedly the right man in the right place, when the duty to be performed is rooting out these hotbeds of crime. In fact business in that lucrative branch is paralyzed; the Cumshaw has been stopped these last five weeks, and some of our tried and confidential public servants entertain serious intentions of resigning office, as at present constituted literally speaking *le jeu ne vaut pas la chandelle.*

By the clipper *Philomela* arrived from Yokohama this morning (which port she left on the 30th ultimo) we have received a copy of the "Japan Herald" containing the following important information:—

H. B. M's CONSULATE, KANAGAWA, 27th November, 1865.

Under instructions form His Excellency Sir Harry S. Parkes K. C. B.—H. B. Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in Japan the undersigned issued the following notification for the information of British residents.

MARCUS FLOWERS.
H. M.'s Acting Consul.

NOTIFICATION.

The undersigned H. B. M. Envoy extraordinary and Minister plenipotentiary has the satisfaction of making known for the information of all subjects of Her Majesty, that the negotiation in which he has been engaged at Osaka in concert with his colleagues the representatives of France, the United States of America and Holland have been attended with the following results:—

1st.—The Mikado has given his formal sanction to the Treaties concluded by the Tycoon with the Foreign powers.

2nd.—Negotiations for the revision of the Tariff on a basis agreed upon, will at once be proceeded with at Yedo.

3rd.—The opening of the Port of Hiogo and the city of Osaka, is guaranteed at the time mentioned in the London Convention of 1862, or an earlier date if circumstances should permit.

HARRY S. PARKES,
H. B. M.'s Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in Japan.

Osaka Bay, Nov. 25th, 1865.

Our readers will be glad to hear of the return of H.M.'s S. *Princess Royal* and H.I.M.'s S. *Dupleix,* from Hiogo—almost simultaneously with the Mail Steamer last evening at 6,30 A.M.

All the news they bring is most satisfactory. The European Ministers did not themselves go to Osaca, but H.M.'s Gun-boat *Bouncer* went backwards and forwards every day with despatches. At length one of the great Ministers of State went down to Hiogo, and had an interview of 5 hours with our representatives. The various demands of the Treaty power were laid down, and 10 days given for decision upon the matter of the ratification of the Treaties, and subsequently other ten days on other affairs. There was of course, a large amount of opposition; but at last, all of the foreign Ministers were rather surprised than otherwise, at the extreme willingness to meet their wishes. The result according to Notification published above viz:

MIKADO RATIFIES TREATY,—TARIFF TO BE ADJUSTED,—HIOGO TO BE OPENED IN 1868,—EARLIER IF POSSIBLE, AND, THE INDEMNITY MONEY WILL BE PAID.

Many landed from the ships, and went for some miles into the country—not one was received with aught but smiles and the never-failing and kindly O-haio both in town and country. The Tycoon acted as our strong friend throughout. A conflict between the troops of Tycoon and Choshiu was to have taken place on the 15th instant—but did not come off.

Sir Harry Parkes has gone in the *Perseus* to Shanghai to meet Lady Parkes, who is expected by next mail. The *Leopard* has gone to Nagasaki, and several of the other ships have proceeded to Hongkong—to be recommissioned—1,400 men coming out in the Orontes to replace such of the old crews as desire to go home.

HAVING been favored with the loan of a file of Calcutta papers, we have carefully searched them for further London telegrams, but in vain. The following items of intelligence may however prove interesting—; the reader will be gratified to observe that the petty wars in Bhootan and the Cape of Good Hope are over.

Public News.

Madras, 17th November, 16-33 h.

FROM CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, TO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, CALCUTTA.

Securities.—Five and a half 10 premium. Fives, 3½ premium. Fours, 10½ discount.

Document Bills—2s. 1⅜d.

Freight.—Dead Weight none Light Freight—Cotton £3.

Interest.—On Loans 10 per cent.

Money Market.—Easy.

7lb 40 in. *Grey Shirtings* Rs. 8-0-0.

No. 40 *Mule Twist* good seconds per bundle Rs. 6-0-0.

Bombay, Friday 17th November, 16-10 h.

FROM CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, CALCUTTA.

Exchange.—On England 2s. 1½d. eleven-sixteenths. Calcutta at sight 99 Madras 30 days sight 99½. China 60 days sight 215.

Freights.—London—Cotton 25s. to 30s. Seed 10s. Liverpool—Cotton 30. to 37s. 6d. Seed 5s. China Nominal.

Money.—Unchanged.

Securities.—Fours. 88½. Fives, 102. Five and a half, 109.

Bank Rates.—On Private Bills, 11 per cent. *Loans on Government Securities* 10 per cent.

Malwa Opium.—New, Rs. 1,490 to 1500.

7lb 40 in. *in Grey Shirtings* 14 by 13, at Rs. 8 2 0, 8lb 32 in. *Madapollams* 13 by 11, at Rs. 3-6-0, No. 40 *Mule Twist* at 18½.

Market.—Better Demand.

Bhootan.

We have been favored with the following copy of a letter, received this morning from Bhootan:—

Buxa Dooar, 11th November 1865.—The treaty of peace with Bhootan was signed this morning: the conditions of the treaty are few, viz:—

Perpetual peace between the two nations.

The eighteen Dooars ceded to the British for ever.

All Bengalee and Assamese prisoners to be delivered up.

The British Government to make an annual allowance to the Bhootan Government of Rs. 25,000, to be increased gradually to Rs. 50,000; the British to retain the right to stop payment of the whole or a portion of the allowance.

Rendition of criminals. Free Trade. Disputes with Sikhim and Cooch Behar to be settled by British Government.

The Bhooteahs have made a full apology for the insults offered to the Hon'ble Mr. Eden.

Government will not pay up the first instalment of Rs. 25,000 until the Deb Rajah makes Tongso give up the 2 guns lost at Dewangiri, and, if the Deb Rajah wishes it, the Government will render aid in compelling him to do so.—*The Indian Daily News.*

Cape of Good Hope.

We have received files of Cape papers to the 16th of September, from which we are glad to see that the warfare on the border has all but come to a close. Moshesh, one of the rival chiefs, has sued for peace, and the terms by the Free State Government are:—To give up Thaba Bosigo, with munitions of war; all land on this side of Caledon; to pay for 30,000 cattle and 60,000 sheep, as compensation for thefts; and 15,000 cattle and horses, for expenses of war; and special magistrate on the mountain to superintend Moshesh. The latest advices do not inform us whether these terms have been accepted. The ship *Salsette,* from Calcutta for Dundee, put into Algoa Bay on the 10th of September, for supplies. In commercial matters there is very little doing at Cape Town, and at Port Elizabeth it is stated that "the commercial crisis is becoming a painful subject to touch upon, and there is scarcely a firm that is thought at present to be in a sound state."

New Zealand.

Arrived at Galle Steamer *Madras* from Sydney 22d, Melbourne 28th October, and King George's Sound 2d November.

The native question in New Zealand is in a most unsatisfactory state, and the prospects of peace are as remote as ever they were.

The peace proclamation does not appear to have either conciliated or terrified the hostile natives.

Letters to the Editor.

To Editor of the "Daily Press."

AMOY, *3rd December,* 1865.

MY DEAR MR. EDITOR,—As it is our privilege to rejoice with those that rejoice, so it is our duty to weep with those that weep. During the past week we have gone through a considerable quantity of the latter, for we have had to lament, in common with the Good and Reverend Fathers of the Church, together with the faithful in Amoy, over the departure of the confrère of one body, and the shepherd of the other. The Episcopalian priest has gone, and why? Because, my dear Sir, the worshippers on the Sabbath day had gradually dwindled down to, occasionally, two solitary individuals,—the one, a real Britisher,—the other, a Singapore Celestial. We fear that his Reverence will have to chant a doleful ditty to my Lord Bishops of London, on the internal state of the Anglican Church in this district; and we imagine that it will be long ere Her Majesty's Government again favors us with another priest. We were particularly touched, at the moment of his Reverence's departure, when we beheld the affectionate, but most melancholy adieu which passed between himself and the numerous Fathers, who represent all the known creeds existing in Great Britain. We never thought that there was so much brotherly feeling in the world before. We weeps over the loss that these mournful gentlemen have sustained.

H.M.S. "Scylla" has left our Coast for that of Formosa. She took over the newly appointed German Consul; and the amiable French Consul of this place also gave the "Scylla" the pleasure of his company for the trip. It is said that the former will at once survey the Island of Formosa, on behalf of Prussia, and that he will choose an eligible site for a palatial residence, which is to be immediately erected, for the anticipated early retirement of the King and Prime Minister, both of whom, it is generally supposed, the world at large desires to consign to a hot climate. The visit of the last named official has for its object the carrying out of an idea. We have heard that he has gone with a view to ascertain the resources of the soil as a rice producing country, and to endeavor, to the utmost of his ability and strength, to prevent the importation of opium. We wish this gentleman every success. It must be admitted that France knows how to select the right man for the right place. The "Scylla" will return to Amoy before Christmas.

By the way can you inform us, whether or not the report is well founded, that the Peninsular and Oriental Company has withdrawn the line of steamers which it once had running between England and China? When the rumour first became current, we thought that it was intended for an Amoy joke, but after mature deliberation with ourselves, we have arrived at the conclusion, that the man who spoke was not joking. On Christmas day [shortly expected to arrive] our last dates from London will simply be ninety days of age, for we have been favored with news as late as the 26th September 1865. When the next European intelligence does arrive, we may, perchance, learn that the "Citizen" have commenced and completed a ninety days wonder; such as to wit, —the annexation of Canada, or the conquest of Mexico. If the P. & O. has ceased to be, then can you tell us which of the Sea-clippers has the home mail on board?

How we do pray that the Northern news brought down by the "Dupleix" from Shanghai, with regard to the intention of Tsêng kwo fan to demolish the Chinese Customs, may prove true. My goodness! wouldn't it just resuscitate some our almost decayed merchants. The New Year would be a happy one to many of us indeed, and Tsêng-kwo-fan, in spite of his anti-foreign propensities, would be adored. Oh! would'nt our German Consul just kick up his heels! We speak the truth when we solemnly assert that we really do worship the Golden Calf. The Spanish [it is preferred here to the Mexican] dollar is not symbolical with us. Unlike our neighbours we love it, by, and for itself alone. Au plaisir, cher Monsieur.

Yours Sincerely,

ONCE-A-WEEK.

Police Reports.

HONGKONG, *4th December,* 1865.

BEFORE C. C. SMITH, ESQ.

The man who was caught in the gambling house in Endicott Lane was fined $50.

We gave under date of Dec. 5th a report of a singular case in which Li Kwan Wah a well known shop keeper in Queen's Road, was charged by Choy Akeen another shop keeper in the Praya, with having forcibly taken away and detained, one of the latter's Shop coolies. The result of the investigation was that Choy Akeen was fined $25 and ordered to give the accused $25 as a reparation for having brought a false charge into Court.

CHOY AKEEN, now applied to the Court to have the case reheard, but the magistrate refused to do so on the ground that the evidence would be the same.

His Worship, concluded by saying "No doubt as you were some time employed in a government office you think you have gained a great knowledge of English law and that you had a great advantage over your countrymen that was utterly ignorant of it. Because you have no acquaintance with some of the subordinate officers in the police you thought you could by their assistance come into this Court and gain your object. But it is my duty to show you that such is not the case, and in order to mark my disapprobation of such conduct and to show you and others the futility of it, I have inflicted the fine upon you."

A coolie was charged with stealing cakes from a basket in the street. He said that he was hungry and had not anything to eat. He had been kidnapped to be sent somewhere over seas and had escaped.

Discharged.

HONGKONG, *6th December,* 1865.

BEFORE C. C. SMITH, ESQ.

ROBERT B. HAMS, lawyer's clerk: ROBERT SUEIL late inspector of police, and female named THWAITES were charged with assault and robbery. The first defendant stated that the solicitor that he had engaged could not attend.

The second defendant said that before the witnesse's left the Court he wished to state to the Court that he acknowledge having done wrong and would apologize to the complainant.

The magistrate remarked that that ought to have been done out of Court.

The complainant said that the second defendant Sueil had asked him not to prosecute, but there was a strong reason that the real nature of the assault should be ascertained, and he therefore wished that the case should go on.

W. F. FERRIS sworn.—I am reporter to the *Daily Press.* I live in Chancery Lane. On Saturday evening last as I was returning home at a quarter to eight I saw three persons standing near to my door. Two men and one female. As I put my foot on the step that leads to the house door, the female accosted me saying "Good evening Mr Ferris" The defendant Hams also said "Good evening." I replied "good evening" The female then continued "there has been a letter published in to-day's paper concerning a dentist's wife and we have come to obtain an explanation" I replied "If you want any explanation you had better go to the *Daily Press* office." The first defendant Hams then said "but you wrote that letter," The female defendant then made some other observation which I cannot remember. As she was speaking I received a blow on the back and immediately another on the neck and in consequence I fell forward on my right side. Simultaneously with the blow another person said "You have been writing about me too" I immediately recognised the voice to be that of Sueil. I was then seized by the neck or collar of my coat and I saw Sueil leaning over me. He had something in his hand about a foot long with which he struck at my head. I seized hold of that with my left hand and prevented the blow. I saw it was Sueil and said "Sueil dont you do it; you'll be sorry for it" He replied "Who are you calling Sueil" I said "don't attempt to disguise yourself I know you quite well" At this time he was trying to wrest the weapon he held in his hand from out of my grasp, but could not succeed. I think it was the butt end of a riding whip as I felt it to be taper in my hand. He then left loose of my collar, and whilst I was still under him he struck me with his right fist on the eye saying "take that from Sueil then" The defendant Hams stood behind during the scuffle looking on and said "give it him" I then sprang to my feet and whilst so doing the second defendant struck me on the stomach with his knee saying something about getting him out of the police and also "will you do it again" Being now on my feet I stepped back and struck out hitting him with my right hand on the eye saying "that's what I'll do again." He staggered back and stood as it were stunned or nonplussed. The first defendant (Hams) who had been all this time looking on, then said "give him the other." Sueil however did not come on again, but took his own hat in one hand and ran towards mine and grasped it. I said "don't take that hat" he made no reply but ran up Chancery Lane towards Old Baily Street. Both our hats had fallen off in the scuffle. They lay some distance apart. When I heard Hams say "give him the other" I thought some weapon was going to be used and called out "murder" and also to my servant. Sueil was dressed in a long dark-coloured coat with the collar turned up and had a small hat slouched over his forehead. I had nothing in my hand. Upon seeing Sueil run away I followed him. I last saw him running along Chancery Lane with my hat in his hand. In running after Sueil I had forgotten the other defendant and ran past him. I found my neighbour at his door and told him I had been assaulted, and that Sueil had ran off with my hat. As I was speaking Hams came past in his chair. I pointed at him and said this is one of the fellows, the other is Sueil. Hams said "you lie it was you that assaulted Sueil." I then grasped him by the collar and told my friend to look well at him. He said "don't strike me I never touched you" After he had passed on some distance he called back a lot of abusive language which is not worth while repeating. My hat was subsequently returned to me by Sueil at this Court.

By the Magistrate. How did the second defendant (Sueil) strike you with his knee.

Complainant.—It was when I was regaining my feet. We were too close to each other for him to kick me with his foot.

Q.—How did he first defendant stand during the assault?

A.—A few feet off, facing us.

Q.—What part did the third defendant take?

A.—After I was struck down from behind, I never saw her again. She moved away from where she was standing.

The Complainant produced a placard alluding to the circumstance which the magistrate desired should be read.

By the first defendant (Hams.)—You are on your oath Mr. Ferris. Did you not assault me and pull me out of my chair?

Complainant.—No certainly not.

Q.—Did you not pull my chair coolies on to the ground?

A.—No.

Q.—Did I ever once strike you?

A.—I did not see you strike me. But I think from our relative positions you must have struck the second blow from behind.

The second defendant (Sueil) —I have no questions to ask. I admit the assault as described by the complainant.

By the third defendant (the female.)—Did you not assault Mr. Hams?

Complainant.—I have just now answered that I did not.

Q.—Did Mr. Hams ever strike you?

A.—I have just now answered that I did not see him strike me.

CLAUDIO DA SILVA sworn.—I am a clerk in the Mercantile Bank. On Saturday evening about a quarter to eight I was standing at our door when I saw the second defendant running along Chancery lane into Old Baily St. The third defendant was also running in the same direction. Mr. Sueil had on a long dark coat with the collar turned up and he was stooping forward as he ran. He held something pressed to his side. Mr. Sueil and the woman went into a house in Old Baily St. Shortly after the first defendant came in a chair. A friend came up and we stood talking for a few minutes. I then saw the three defendants leave the house. Mr. Hams and the female in were chairs when they left the house.

By second defendant (Sueil.)—Had I my coat collar turned up when you saw me running away?

Witness.—Yes and you were stooping for ward with your head pulled into your coat.

Second defendant.—My coat had no collar at all on. I admit the assault, your Worship, as described by the complainant. He has spoken the entire truth, and I am sorry for having committed myself. I was led into it. Mr. Hams met me on Saturday night, and told me he was going to thrash the *Daily Press* reporter for a letter that had appeared in that day's paper. I had not seen the letter at all myself. I then said he has written about me and I will go and help you. I committed the assault complained of. I apologise to the complainant and own I did wrong.

The magistrate said that if the defendants admitted the offence then was no necessity of calling any more witnesses.

The first defendant (Hams) said that the complainant had written in defamatory terms of him and done him a great deal of injury.

The third defendant said that they had all three gone to complainant's to ask him who had written the letter in the paper, when fighting began; the complainant hitting Mr Sueil and Mr Sueil hitting the complainant, she then walked home as fast as she could.

The magistrate then told the third defendant that he would take a lenient view of her case and assume that she had been led away by others. He should discharge her and he hoped that she would never come before him again.

Addressing the two male defendants his worship said that the present case was one of the most disgraceful affairs that could be brought a magistrate. The one defendant having been so long an inspector in the police, and the other being a lawyer's clerk, must know perfectly well how disgraceful the position was in which they now stood. When honorable people fought, they fought face to face but they had not done so but preferred to strike a man behind his back whilst held in conversation, by a third person! and what was still more cowardly had struck him whilst on the ground. The complainant had done perfectly right in bringing the case into court. Some people thought that if they saw anything in the paper that did not please them, they must go and assault the reporter or the editor of the paper, but they always had a legal remedy open to them and they must confine themselves to that course. He was sorry that he could not inflict a higher penalty as he certainly should have done so if able. He should fine them each £5.

The fine was paid.

COMMERCIAL POSTSCRIPTS.

Hongkong, 8th December, 1865.

Opium.—Patna, Cash, new $635 to $637½, sales. Benares Cash, $620, sales. Malwa, Cash $875, sales. On time Patna, $637½, sales. Twelfth Sales Patna $620, sales.

Cotton.—Japan, none; Ningpo, $30 to $32. Shanghai, &c., $28 to $31. Bengal $25 to $28. Bombay, $25 to 28, sales firm.

Rice.—Bengal and Manila, $2.50 to $2.60. Siam, Saigon, Rangoon, &c., $2.40 to 2.70, small sales.

Exchange.—Bank bills on Calcutta 3d.s. 218½ Rs., at 10 days' sight, 219½. Rs. quoted. On Bombay at 3d.s. 218 Rs.; at 10d.s. 219 Rs. quoted. On London at 6 months' sight, 4s. 7d. quoted.

Gold Leaf.—$23, Gold Bar, 22.90 offered.

Sycee—9 per cent. premium, offered.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Co.'s shares, 12 per cent premium, offered.

Hongkong Gas Company Shares.—£3 per share premium, firm, buyers.

Union Dock Co.'s Shares, at 2 per cent discount sellers.

H. C. & M, steam Co.'s shares 12 per cent premium, discount, buyers.

Intimations.

PROGRAMME
OF THE AUTUMN PRIZE MEETING
1865
OF THE
HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS,
to take place on the 18th & 19th of December, 1865,
ON THE RACE COURSE UNDER SANCTION
OF H. E. THE ACTING GOVERNOR.

1st Prize, THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION SILVER MEDAL.—Open to all effective Members of the Corps. Ranges 100, 150, 200 and 300 yards. 5 rounds at each range to be fired for Standing and from the shoulder with the regulation Carbine and Long Enfield Rifle with Government ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6 lbs. Entrance $1.
Previous winners excluded.

2nd Prize, THE "MACKENZIE" CHALLENGE CUP.—Value 50 Guineas, presented by J. J. MACKENZIE, Esq., to be competed for by Honorary and Effective Members of the Corps, and to be won twice by the same Member with the Regulation Carbine or Long Enfield Rifle with Government ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6 lbs. Ranges 200, 250, and 350 yards. 3 Shots at each range to be fired standing and from the shoulder. Entrance $1.
Present Holder Private DAVIDSON.

3rd Prize, THE "MOSTYN" CUP.—Value 28 Guineas, presented by W. M. MORGAN Esq. to be competed for by the Artillery Company with the regulation Carbine. Pull of trigger not less than 6lbs, any ammunition. Range 150 and 300 yards. 3 Shots at each range standing and from the shoulder. Entrance $1.

4th Prize, THE "VICTORIA" CHALLENGE CUP.—Value 50 Guineas to be shot for by the Battery of Artillery and won two years in succession by the same Member, to be competed for with the regulation Carbine and ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6lbs. 3 shots at each 100, 200, and 300 yards, position standing and from the shoulder. Entrance $1.
Present Holder Captain COHEN.

5th Prize, A SHARP'S BREECH LOADING RIFLE presented by J. W. TORREY, Esq. Honorary Member and to be competed for by Honorary and Effective Members of the Corps with any *bona fide* army pattern Rifle, no hair triggers or any other than plain sights allowed. 5 shots at each—100, 150, 200 and 300 yards, to be fired from the shoulder standing. Entrance $1.
Winner of No. 3 Prize excluded.

6th Prize, THE "CHINA" CUP, Value 25 Guineas presented by Captain COHEN, H.K.V. To be competed for by all effective Members of the Corps with the regulation Carbine or long Enfield Rifle and Government ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6lbs. 5 shots at each—200 and 300 yards Position standing and from the shoulder. Entrance $1.
Winners of No. 3 and 5 Prize excluded.

7th Prize, A SILVER CUP Value 40 Guineas, presented by the non commissioned Officers of the Hongkong Volunteers for competition by all effective Members with the regulation Carbine and long Enfield Rifle and Government ammunition. Pull of trigger not under 6lbs. Range 100, 200, 300 yard 3 shots at each from off the shoulder standing Entrance $1.
Winners of No. 1 6 Prize excluded.

8th Prize, A WHITWORTH RIFLE presented by Sergeant NORRIS, H. K. V. for competition by the Battery of Artillery with the regulation Carbine and ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6lbs 3 shots at each—100, 200, and 300 yards position standing and from the shoulder Entrance $1.
Winner of No. 3 Prize excluded.

9th Prize, A SWISS RIFLE.—Presented by Sergeant Schutze, H.K.V. for competition by all effective members of the corps with the regulation, Carbine and Long Enfield Rifle and government ammunition. Pull of trigger not less than 6lbs Range 200 and 300 yards. 3 shots at each range standing and from the shoulder. Entrance $1
Winners of No. 1, 3, 5, and 6 excluded.

RIFLE DERBY.—Open to all comers. Entrance $5, all forfeit. Subscribers not shooting allowed a nomination. No competitor or nominee can be entered more than once. Range, 300 and 400 yards, 5 shots at each. Any Rifle and any position, but no fixed or artificial rest. There shall be two prizes, two fifths of the sum total subscribed to form the first prize, and two fifths of the remainder shall form the second prize, the rest to go to the funds.

100 yard Pool Target }
200 " " } Open to all comers,
Entrance $1 for 3 shots. Any rifle and any position. One third of the entrance money to go to the corps fund, the winner to take two thirds, and the 2nd one third of the remainder.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

No Magnifying sights may be used in firing for any of the above Prizes.
Hits and points to count.
All entries to be made in writing *and enclosing entrance fees* to Capt. Cohen between the 6th and 10th of December at noon.

Shooting to commence each morning at 10 A.M. punctually, and all members *must* appear in uniform.
Ties to be decided by one shot at the last range fired at until the winners be returned.

The order of shooting will be chosen by ballot by the Prize Committee prior to the day of shooting, and will be daily noted. The competition for all prizes at one range to be completed before commencing the next.
No competitor will be allowed to fire if not present at the commencement of the firing for the Prize entered for.
No competitor shall be allowed to discharge his Rifle without having previously obtained permission from the Officer or person in charge of the firing point.
The decision of the Umpire (to be appointed) shall be final in all disputed points.
The "general order" of October 7th will be strictly enforced.
"No member unless he has attended at least one half the number of drills held before the approaching Rifle Meeting in December will be allowed under any consideration to compete for the Prizes."

IT is requested that from this date all entries and communications for the ensuing Prize Meeting may be addressed to Captain Tripp.
By order of the Prize Committee.
H. COHEN,
Capt. and Actg. Comdt.
tf 2745 Hongkong, 7th November, 1865.

PARISIAN BAKERS.
SUPERFINE BREAD OF EVERY KIND.
Hollywood Road, No. 74.
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J. PERRA.
tf Hongkong, 5th May 1865. 1312

Notices of Firms.

THE undersigned has this day established himself at Ningpo as General Commission Merchant under the style of ERNEST MAJOR & Co.
ERNEST MAJOR.
tf 1644 Ningpo, 1st June, 1865.

MR. W. O. VAN OORDT has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm.
BOSMAN & Co.
tf Hongkong, 1st April 1865

NOTICE.
THE authority granted to Mr. THOMAS LANCASTER LARKEN to sign our firm ceases from this date.
JOHN FORSTER & Co.
tf 2583 Foochow, 16th October, 1865. c30-

NOTICE.
DURING the temporary absence of BARÃO DO CERCAL and his SON from China. Mr. F. A. DA CRUZ, is authorized to sign the name of our firm per procuration.
A. A. DE MELLO & Co.
3m 2920 Macao, 1st December, 1865. d-5

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Lloyds at CANTON and MACAO.
Communications at Macao to be addressed to Mr. S. L. LANGA, H.B.M. Consular Agent there.
GILMAN & Co.
tf. Hongkong, 25th April, 1863.

Notices of Firms.

I Have this day established myself at the Pagoda Anchorage, as Marine Surveyor and General Commission Agent.
JOHN C. BAYNTON.
Pagoda Anchorage.
tf 1914 Foochow, 12th July, 1865.

THE Undersigned having taken over the business of Messrs. BOWRA & Co. in this Colony from Mr. W. A. BOWRA (who retires from the firm this day) beg to solicit a continuance of the patronage hitherto so liberally bestowed.
F. M. HARSANT.
GEO. A. F. NORRIS.
Hongkong 1st May, 1862.

THE business of the undersigned being about to be shortly closed, persons having claims against them are requested to send them in at once before the 1st of October next.
C. B. WADIA & Co.
tf 2391 Hongkong, 21st September, 1865.

MESSRS. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. having this day taken over our interest in our CARGO BOATS will in future conduct the Business thereof.
R. McGREGOR & Co.
tf 1819 Hongkong, 5th July, 1865.

WITH reference to the above the undersigned are now prepared to Ship, land and Store Cargo.
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.
tf 1819 Hongkong, 5th July, 1865.

NOTICE.
MR. FRAMJEE DADABHOY LALCACA is authorised to sign our Firm from this date.
M. D. GHANDY & Co.
3w 2204 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1865.

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of MR. PAUL EHLERS, in our firm, ceased this day.
Our business will in future be conducted by Mr. THEODOR HESSE, under the style of
HESSE & Co.
Which firm Mr. A. H. P. HASS, is authorized to sign.
HESSE, EHLERS & Co.
tf 2794 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865. n-15

MR. JAMES GEORGE OASWELL, is this day admitted a Partner in our Firm.
WM. G. HALE & Co.
6m 2031 Saigon, 1st October, 1865. 10-21

I have this day established myself at this port as GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT under the style or firm of SCHELLHASS & Co.
F. SCHELLHAS.
1w 29 5 Hankow, 28 August, 1865 d-8

NOTICE.
THE authority of Mr. W. H. VICKERMAN to sign our Firm ceased on the 30th April last. From the 1st May, inst., Mr. JAMES W. PEARON has authority to sign our Firm.
FAWCETT & Co.
tf 1281 Hongkong, 1st May, 1865.

NOTICE.
HAVING this day admitted MR. GEORGE AUSTEN MEDLEN as a Partner, the Practice hitherto conducted by me at No. 10, Club Chambers, will in future be carried on under the style and Firm of RAWLING, MEDLEN & Co. Civil Engineers, Architects, and Surveyors.
S. B. RAWLING.
tf 1095 Hongkong, 8th April, 1865.

THE undersigned has this day established himself at Tamsui and Keelung as Merchant and Commission Agent, under the Firm of MILISCH & Co.
JAMES MILISCH.
3m 5639 240 Tamsui, 6th October, 1865.

MR. JOHN WALTER RICHARDSON has been admitted a Partner in our Firm.
BRADLEY & Co.
3m 2192 40 Swatow, 29th September, 1865.

I have this day established myself at this place as Merchant and Commission Agent under the firm of ALEXR. BIELFELD.
ALEXANDER C. F. BIELFELD.
6m 2703 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

THE authority of Mr. H. EBELL to sign our firm per procuration ceased on the 15th instant.
RAYNAL & Co.
3m 2499 Macao, 31st October, 1865.

MR. JOHN FRASER is authorised to sign for us by procuration.
For THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.
W. H. WOOD,
Manager.
tf 2700 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

WE have established a Branch of our Firm at Chefoo, and Mr. J. D. THORBURN will sign our Firm per procuration at that place.
MEADOWS & Co.
tf-28no Tientsin, 2nd November, 1863.

NOTICE.
WE have this day established ourselves at this Port under the style of RADECKER, HAGEDORN & Co., as Merchants and Commission Agents.
R. RADECKER.
F. W. HAGEDORN.
tf 1783 Hongkong, 1st July, 1865.

I Have this day admitted into partnership, Mr. THOMAS MERCER. The business will be hereafter conducted under the style of THOMAS, & MERCER.
THOMAS THOMAS,
Public Tea Inspector and Commission Agent.
tf 1371 13.5 Canton, 1st May, 1865.

WE have this day Established a Branch of our Firm in Hongkong.
Office Stanley Street No. 19, corner of Pottinger Street.
RAYNAL & Co.
6m 2202 Macao, 23rd August, 1865. 8-24

THE Copartnership hitherto existing between Messrs J. DES AMORIE VAN DER HOEVEN and N. G. PETER at this port and at Canton, under the name of J. DES AMORIE VANDER HOEVEN, has this day been dissolved.
The business will be carried on in future by Messrs. N. G. PETER and H. EBELL, under the style of PETER & EBELL, who will settle all outstanding accounts of the late firm.
3m 2715 Macao, 2nd November, 1865.

NOTICE.
THE Copartnership between Mr. B. SAYLE and Mr. T. PEACOCK, in the Victoria Exchange Establishment under the name of THOMAS PEACOCK will from this date be carried on under the style and firm of SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co.
Mr. W. J. STERRY is authorised to sign our firm per procuration at branch establishment Shanghai.
SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co.
Victoria Exchange.
tf 2452 Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

NOTICE.
THE Business of the undersigned as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR AND COMMISSION AGENT at this Port will from this date be carried on under the Style of KINNEAR & Co.
W. B. KINNEAR.
605 Foochow 1st January, 1865.

WE have this day admitted Mr. W. HOLTZAPFEL as a Partner in our Firm.
LINCKER & Co.
tf 2179 Swatow 10th August, 1865. 22-8

NOTICE.
MR. L. P. WARD, is authorized to sign our Firm from this date.
THOs. HUNT & Co.
1m 2893 Hongkong, 22nd November, 1865.

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of MR. FREDERIK HORSEN BLOCK, in our firm ceased on the 31st May last.
TRAUTMANN & Co.
3m 2519 Shanghai, 30th September, 1865. 9.10

THE interest and responsibility of MR. ALEX CH. F. BIELFELD in our Firm ceased on the 1st of August 1865.
ARNEMANN & Co.
tf 2416 Hongkong, 23rd September, 1865.

WE have to-day authorized Mr. H. OBL to sign our Firm in China.
OXFORD & Co.
Shanghae, 20th April, 1865. tf 29.4. -268

THE partnership heretofore existing between BOMANJEE FRAMJEE CAMA and the undersigned in the Firm of F. B. CAMA & Co., of this place, ceased on the 19th October, 1865.
Mr. BOMANJEE FRAMJEE CAMA will continue the business on his own account, under the same name.
HORMAZJEE EDALJEE.
1m 2795 Hongkong, 14th November, 1865

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. W. HALLENSTEBEN, in our Firm has ceased.
GROSSER & Co.
Japan, 31st December, 1864.

MR. F. BOHEYER has been admitted a partner in our Firm at this port.
GROSSER & Co.
tf 781 Nagasaki, 1st February, 1865.

Vessels Loading.

DESTINATION	VESSEL'S NAME	CAPTAIN	AT	FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DISPATCHED
LONDON	Layard	Green	Hongkong	Gibb Livingston & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	James Russell	Griffiths	Whampoa	Smith Kennedy & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Gitana	Dugdale	Macao	Bourjau Hubener & Co.	Quick dispatch.
NEW YORK	Bothwell Castle	Thyne	Hongkong	Russell & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Gem of the Ocean	Pritchard	Whampoa	Olyphant & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SAN FRANCISCO	See-yik	Osgood	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Le A Yik		Hongkong	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Oracle	Herds	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Oriflamme, str.	Lane	Hongkong	Russell & Co.	On 13th Instant.
SAIGON	Felix	Labarbe	Hongkong	Landstein & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Mouette	Denis	Hongkong	Reynvaan Brothers & Co.	Quick dispatch.
NAGASAKI	Anne Porter	Samuel Roch	Hongkong	Landstein & Co.	Quick dispatch.
HAVRE	Reconnaissance	Rullier	Hongkong	Landstein & Co.	Quick dispatch.
MANILA *direct*	Ylocano	Barredo	Hongkong	Reynolds & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Rodrigo	Aranola	Hongkong	Reynolds & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	San Lorenzo	Caloma	Hongkong	Reynolds & Co.	Quick dispatch.
S.PORE & POINT DE GALLE	Carl	Bruddthers	Hongkong	Arnemann & Co.	Quick dispatch.
BOMBAY *direct*	Thetis	Prayles	Hongkong	Geo. Holmes	Quick dispatch.
EUROPE	Antelope	Smidt	Hongkong	A. Lundt	Quick dispatch.
SINGAPORE & CALCUTTA	Avabhoy	Fendesson	Hongkong	M. Dhurumsey & Co.	Quick dispatch.
S.PORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	Fusiyama	Dundas	Hongkong	D. Lapraik	Quick dispatch.
SHANGHAI & YOKOHAMA	Labourdonnais, str.	Pellisot	Hongkong	Messageries Imperiales	To-morrow, at 6 A.M.
SHANGHAI	Suwonada, str.	Jayne	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co.	To-morrow, at 4 P.M.
Do.	Rona, str.	Morrison	Hongkong	Jardine Matheson & Co.	Quick dispatch.
BANGKOK	Satellite	Evans	Hongkong	Johnson & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Dioscuren	Wagner	Hongkong	Siemssen & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do.	Gazelle	Digros	Hongkong	Raynal & Co.	Quick dispatch.
S.TOW, AMOY & F.CHOW	Ascff, str.	Baker	Hongkong	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Quick dispatch.

STEAM TO CANTON.
The "*Kin Shan,*" To-day, at 9 A.M.
The "*Plymouth Rock,*" To-day, at 9 A.M.
The "*Fire Dart,*" on Monday, at 9 A.M.

STEAM TO MACAO.
The "*White Cloud,*" To-day, at 2 P.M.

For Freight or Charter.

THE A 1 British 3 Masted Schooner
"ASTREA,"
Captain Norris, of 331 Tons Register.
DENT & Co.
tf 2600 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

To any Part of the World.
THE fine fast Sailing Ship
"BRITON,"
510 Tons Register.
Apply to
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"PRIDE OF THE WEST,"
Captain Crowan, of 341 tons Register.
Apply to
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tf 2873 Hongkong, 25th November, 1865.

THE A 1 British Barque
"RIFLE"
Captain Elliot, of 225 Tons Register.
Apply to
JOHNSON & Co.
tf 2888 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

THE A 1 British Ship
"ROSLIN CASTLE,"
of 644 Tons Register.
Apply to
GILMAN & Co.
tf 2921 Hongkong, 5th December, 1865.

THE A 1 British Clipper Ship
"LALLA ROOKH,"
of 1277 Tons, now undergoing thorough repair, this vessel is well adopted for the conveyance of Coolies having height of T'ween decks of over 8 feet.
For further particulars apply to
Messrs. HAJEE MANIAL ABDEEN SHIRAJEE & Co. or to the Commander A. H. EARL, on board.
tf 2870 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865

For Sale, Freight or Charter.

FOR SALE.
THE A 1 British Barque
"FORTUNA,"
of 696 Tons Register.
For further particulars apply to
DENT & Co.
tf 1744 Hongkong, 27th June, 1865.

FOR SALE.
THE Barque "*KING-JOO HONG,*" 286 Tons Register.
Apply to
HANG FOONG HONG, or
The Captain on Board.
1w 2922 Hongkong, 5th December, 1865.

FOR SALE.
THE A 1 American Barque
"DORCHESTER,"
429 tons.
For terms apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 2836 Hongkong, 21st November, 1865.

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FOR NEW YORK.
THE A 1 for 12 years British Clipper Ship
"BOTHWELL CASTLE,"
Captain Thyne, will load at Whampoa for the above Port and will have early despatch.
For freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 2581 Hongkong, 14th October, 1865.

FOR LONDON
THE A 1 British Clipper Ship
"JAMES RUSSEL,"
703 Tons Register Captain Griffiths, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged will load at Whampoa and Macao as above and meet with quick despatch.
For freight or Passage, apply to
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
tf 2859 Hongkong, 24th November, 1865.

FOR SAIGON.
THE A 1 French Barque
"FELIX,"
Labarbe Master, having engaged a portion of her cargo will meet with quick despatch.
For freight or Passage, apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 2561 Hongkong, 12th October, 1865.

FOR SAIGON.
THE A 1 British Barque
"OCEANICA,"
Thomas Wilson, Master, will meet with quick despatch for the above port.
For freight apply to
OXFORD & Co.
tf 2509 Hongkong, 6th October, 1865.

FOR THE CAPE AND LONDON.
THE A 1 British Brig
"LAYARD,"
Captain Green, of 174 Tons Register, will have immediate despatch for the above Port.
For freight or Passage apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1872 Hongkong, 11th July, 1865.

FOR HAVRE.
THE A 1 French Barque
"RECONNAISSANCE,"
Captain Rullier, having engaged the chief portion of her Cargo will meet with quick despatch, calling at Bordeaux if sufficient inducement offers.
For freight or Passage, apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 2707 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

FOR SINGAPORE AND CALCUTTA.
THE A 1 British Ship
"AVABHOY,"
Captain R. Fenderson will leave for the above Ports on or about the 10th Instant.
For freight or Passage, apply to
M. DHURUMSEY & Co.
tf 2897 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1865.

FOR BANGKOK.
THE A 1 British Barque
"GAZELLE,"
will be despatched on the 9th instant.
For freight apply to
RAYNAL & Co.
tf 2966 Hongkong, 8th December, 1865.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.
THE British Steamer
"FUSI YAMA,"
Captain A. D. Duncas, will be despatched for the above Ports, on or about the 12th Instant.
For freight or Passage, apply to
D. LAPRAIK.
tf 2908 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1865.

FOR SHANGHAI.
THE Steam-ship
"SUWONADA,"
will be despatched for the above Port To-morrow, the 9th Instant at 4 P.M.
For freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 2961 Hongkong, 8th December, 1865.

FOR SHANGHAI.
THE Steamer
"RONA."
Captain Morrison, will have early despatch for the above Ports.
For freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
tf 2939 Hongkong, 6th December, 1865.

FOR SHANGHAI.
THE Steam-ship
"ORIFLAMME,"
will be despatched as above, taking cargo for the Yangtze Ports, on or about the 13th instant.
For Freight or Passage apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 2940 Hongkong, 6th December, 1865.

STEAM TO SAN FRANCISCO.
THE American Steam-ship
"ORIFLAMME,"
will sail for the above Port, touching at Shanghae and Kanagawa on or about the 13th instant.
For light freight and Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 2941 Hongkong, 6th December 1865.

FOR BANGKOK.
THE Hamburg Barque
"DIOSCUREN,"
will be despatched on or about the 15th Instant for the above Port.
For freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSSEN & Co.
tf 2950 Hongkong, 7th December, 1865.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE A 1 American Barque
"LE A YIK,"
having the greater part of her capacity engaged will have immediate despatch.
For freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 2877 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

FOR SAIGON.
THE A 1 French Schooner
"MOUETTE,"
Captain G. Denis, will have quick despatch for the above port.
Apply to
REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.
tf 2933 Hongkong, 6th December, 1865.

FOR BANGKOK.
THE A 1 British Barque
"SATELLITE,"
Captain Evans, will have quick despatch for the above port.
For freight or Passage, apply to
JOHNSON & Co.
tf 2936 Hongkong, 6th December, 1865.

FOR MANILA DIRECT.
THE Spanish Brig,
"SAN LORENZO,"
Captain Sta Coloma, will have quick despatch for the above port.
For freight or Passage apply to
REYNOLDS & Co.
1w 2902 Hongkong, 4th December, 1865.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE Barque
"LEE YIK."
to be despatched on or about the 9th instant, will be followed by
THE A 1 British ship
"ORACLE."
A. D. Herds Master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged.
For freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 2926 Hongkong, 5th December, 1865.

FOR BOMBAY, DIRECT.
THE Swedish Barque
"THE TIS."
will have immediate despatch for the above Port.
For freight apply to
GEO HOLMES,
Broker.
tf 2843 Hongkong, 22nd November, 1865.

FOR NEW YORK.
THE Clipper Ship
"TANJORE,"
will have quick despatch for the above Port, loading here and at Whampoa.
For freight or Passage apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 2757 Hongkong, 6th November, 1865.

FOR MANILA DIRECT.
THE Spanish Brig
"RODRIGO"
Captain Aranola will have quick despatch for the above port.
For Freight or Passage apply to
REYNOLDS & Co.
1m 2903 Hongkong, 4th December, 1865.

FOR NEW YORK.
THE American Clipper Ship
"GEM OF THE OCEAN,"
Captain Pritchard, will load at this and Whampoa for the above Port, and has a limited amount of disengaged capacity.
Apply to
OLYPHANT & Co.
tf 2846 Hongkong, 23rd November, 1865.

FOR LONDON.
THE British Schooner
"GITANA,"
Captain Dugdale, will load here and at Macao for the above port and will meet with quick despatch.
For freight apply to
BOURJAU HUBENER & Co.
tf 2898 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1865.

FOR MANILA DIRECT.
THE Spanish Brig
"YLOCANO,"
Barredo Master, will meet with quick despatch as above.
For freight or Passage, apply to
REYNOLDS & Co.
tf 2733 Hongkong, 4th November, 1865.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR NAGASAKI.
THE A 1 British Brig
"ANNE PORTER,"
Samuel Roch, Master, having engaged a portion of her Cargo will meet with quick despatch.
For freight apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 2693 Hongkong, 31st October, 1865.

Intimations.

PUN LUN,
PHOTOGRAPHER.
Queen's Road, No. 58, Up Stairs Opposite the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
Takes Portraits, Groups, &c., in best style, also keeps constantly on hand the views of Hongkong, Canton, Honam and other Ports of China.
tf-8Sep Hongkong, 2nd September, 1864.

NOTICE.
THE Chinese News Paper, which was established simultaneously with this Journal, and which is published at and issued from his Office is about to be again and for the fourth time enlarged in order to accommodate the ever increasing mass of information and Advertisements which are found available.
This Chinese issue is Published three times per week namely on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. Its circulation amongst the native community in this Colony, in Macao, and in Canton is extensive, and its subscription list embraces the names of numerous Chinese residents at Swatow, Amoy, Formosa, Shanghai Ningpo, Tientsin, Peking, and Japan, besides Singapore, Honolulu, California and Australia. In fact, but for the application of the Printing Machine, the demand for this Paper could hardly be supplied. As an Advertising medium it will be found most efficacious, and especial attention is called to the reduction of the rate for advertising, which was made for the purpose of conforming to native ideas.

Terms.
Advertisements, containing 50 Characters or under (including translating)............50 cents.
For every additional Character............1 cent.
Repetition (the range of the current week being considered as one insertion or a repetition) half price.
Subscription $4 per Annum.
"*Daily Press*" Office,
Hongkong, 23rd October, 1865.

YUE-CHONG,
29, and 31, SCOTT LANE,
HATTING for Export at Canton, wholesale rates four, five, and six quarter, white, checked and figured, of all qualities.
Also MATS for Bags or Silk or Tea wrappers.
1 Hongkong, 1st October, 1865.

NOTICE.
DEPOTS of Labuan Coal have been established at the undermentioned Ports.
Swatow............Messrs. Bradley & Co.
Amoy,............Messrs. Elles & Co.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 2430 Hongkong, 23th September, 1865.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.
SHAREHOLDERS are requested to take Notice that the FIRST CALL of Twenty Five Dollars per Share on the Capital of the Company will be due and payable on the *6th day of November* next at the Office of "The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Company, Limited," Queen's Road, Hongkong, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Bank which will be exchanged on the 20th day of November for Share Certificates on application at the Offices of the Company. Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per Annum will be charged on all unpaid Calls.
The Articles of Association lie for signature at the Office of the undersigned and Shareholders are requested to call and sign them there.
By order of the Board of Directors,
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
General Agents.
tf 2640 Hongkong, 20th October, 1865.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the wreck of the British Vessel "*Shakespeare,*" when last seen, was in a position dangerous to vessels entering or leaving the anchorage under the "White Dogs."
The Bearings were as follows:—
The South Dog............E. by S ¾ S.
Breakwater Rock............N. by W ½ W.
Tongsha, E. End............N. E. by N.

Vessels coming to the Anchorage from the Eastward, should round the "South Dog" one cable to the Southward, and steer West until Castle Rock is in one with the reef inside the Middle Dog and then haul up for the Anchorage.
Vessels from the Northward coming in between the Sea Dog and Tongsha, should round the Breakwater Rock ¼ a cable's length off, and Anchor before bringing Castle Rock open of the East end of Tongsha.
F. NEVILL MAY,
Acting Commissioner of Customs
1m 2862 Foochow, 20th November, 1865 n-25

AYAU,
PHOTOGRAPHER,
WILL be happy to take Views of Private Residences, Offices, and Public Buildings, depots in harbour, buildings at Pokefoolum &c., and accompany picnic parties, in consideration of a sale of five pictures at $1 each, or 12 pictures for $9.
Gentlemen may obtain the services of AYAU at their own private residence on same terms. All orders should to addressed.
AYAU,
Post-Office,
2w 2885 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

YUE-CHONG,
RETAIL TEA DEALER.
BEGS to inform the community that he has received his supply of New Seasons. Teas comprising choice Oolong, Pekoe and Souchong
tf 1828 Hongkong, 6th July, 1865.

MEDICAL ASSISTANT.
WANTED a *thoroughly qualified* ENGLISH DISPENSING ASSISTANT. First class testimonials as to competency and character indispensable
Apply to
ALFRED WRIGHT,
Chemist and Druggist,
Wyndham Street.
tf 2882 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

NOTICE.
LEARNING that some Persons at Hongkong dealers in Ivory-ware, &c., are making use of our name, we beg to state to the Public at large and our old Customers in general that we have no Branch house in Hongkong. Persons wishing articles of our manufacture are requested to apply to HOACHING, Club Street, Honam, Canton.
HOACHING,
9w 2793 Canton 10th November, 1865. n-14

ANDREW RUSTKBERG.
(LATE OF THE RHENISH BAND.)
RESPECTFULLY informs Gentlemen Amateurs that he will give instruction on the Cornet-a-Piston, Althorn, Trumpet, &c., and music in general. Gentlemen attended at their Residences at any hour convenient to them.
N.B.—Quadrille Band Provided.
TERMS MODERATE.
Address No. 2 Elgin Street.
tf 2051 Hongkong, 3rd August, 1865.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS OF TREASURE, &c.
TO facilitate the work of Shippers, the Company have arranged to receive any Treasure intended for Shipment in their Steamers at their Offices in the Queen's Road.
Treasure will be received in this manner any day between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. up to the day preceding that of the Steamer's departure. Should the hour fixed for leaving be later than Noon, shipments will be received on the day of departure, from 7 to 9 A.M.
Shippers desiring to avail of this arrangement, will please send along with their Treasure, Shipping Orders and Receipts carefully filled up with Marks, Description, and Destination, and if the Bills of Lading are delivered at the same time the work will be greatly facilitated.
The Company of course except the "risk of boats," &c., as covered by ordinary Marine Insurance.

With reference to the foregoing notice, it is hereby intimated that the Company's Godowns are now ready for the reception of Opium and other Cargo for shipment in the Company's Steamers, under the same conditions as stated above.
THOS. SUTHERLAND,
Superintendent,
Hongkong, 24th November, 1865.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES
DES
MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

STEAM TO
SHANGHAI AND YOKOHAMA.
The Steam-ship
"LABOURDONNAIS,"
Commandant Pelliant, will leave for the above ports on the 10th Instant at 6 A.M.
C. BERTRAND,
Agent
tf 2928 Hongkong, 5th December, 1865.

Intimations.

BOTTOMRY $12,000
BOTTOMRY WANTED on the French Bark "*Ville de Granade,*" Bouyer Master, at present lying in Hongkong harbour, who has been authorised by the French Consul to raise a sum of about $12,000. Tenders for the same will be received at the French Consulate till MONDAY 11th Instant at 3 o'clock P.M.

Par Ordonnance Consulaire en date du 6 Décembre, le Capitaine Bouyer, du Navire "*Ville de Granade,*" est autorisé à contracter une emprunt à la grosse de $12,000—pour les réparations des avaries du dit Navire.
Les soumissions seront reçue en la Chancellerie du Consulat de France LUNDI 11 Decembre de 2 à 3 heures apres midi.
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 2951 Hongkong, 7th December, 1865.

NOTICE.
MESSRS. JULES, EUGENE & Co., beg to inform the Community of Hongkong, Macao, and Ladies in particular, that Monsr. Felix Louvet, Artist Capillaire from the Celebrated House of Messrs Felix, Fobrony, St. Honore, and Hairdresser to the Empress of France, has arrived by the French Mail Steamer "*Imperatrix*" as an assistant in their business from this date.
Messrs. J. E. & Co. beg to inform their customers and the Public in General that they are ready to call at their residences, on the shortest Notice.
Monsr. F. Louvet, begs to call attention of the Public that he has a good prize Medal awarded for the above capacity.
Also
A Large Invoice of Choice Perfumery from one of the well-known Houses in Paris arrived by the French Mail Steamer "*Imperatrix*" consisting of assorted Bouquets, Lavendar and Rose Water, Toilet and Tooth Powder, Hair Oil, Scented Soap, Eau de Cologne, Cosmetiques, Hair, Cloth and Tooth Brushes.
And
Boots, Shoes Sponges for Ladies and Children, Frissets, Bracelets, Wigs, Razor Strops, and all sorts of Sundries.
P. S.—Frissets, Bracelets and Wigs, made to order.
tf 2720 Hongkong, 3rd November, 1865.

WEST POINT RICE MILLS.
THIS Establishment is now ready to receive orders for Rice to be cleaned, and the undersigned are prepared to receive, land, store, clean and ship Rice in any quantities. A new large and very powerful boiler has been expressly imported for the Mills, and large costly additions have been made to the Machinery which is now in full and perfect working order, the improvements which have been effected enabling the undersigned to guarantee the cleaning of Rice in a manner not to be equalled either by any other Mills in the East, or by the tedious hand-labour of the Chinese. The Mills can clean and turn out six hundred piculs of Rice in the working day and if greater expedition is required it can be attained. The Godowns are made of granite and are large, airy, and insurable against fire at low rates. The pier has sufficient water at all states of the tide to allow the largest cargo boats to lie alongside and load or discharge.
Terms can be ascertained on application to the undersigned at the Mills where orders will be received. Persons unable to attend at the Mills will be waited on at their offices, and all orders carefully and promptly executed
DARRELL & Co.
tf 1873 Hongkong, 11th July, 1865.

WEST POINT SAWING AND PLAINING MILLS.
THIS Establishment having been fitted with several additions and improvements to the Machinery is now prepared to execute all orders for Sawing, and Plaining wood and to undertake contracts for supplying wood-work for buildings, furniture and carpenters and joiners work generally. The sawing, plancing, morticing, moulding, and turning machines are of the latest and most perfect kind, and all work entrusted to the undersigned will be guaranteed to be turned out with a rapidity and in a style with which hand-labour cannot compete. Contracts undertaken either for the supply of the necessary wood or for the labour and workmanship.
Mr. A. D. Mitchell having had several years experience in establishments similar to those above mentioned, he will superintendent the work of same.
Terms can be ascertained on application at the Mills, West Point.
DARRELL & Co.
tf 1874 Hongkong, 11th July, 1865

READING ROOMS.
114, AND 116, QUEEN'S ROAD.
HAVING enlarged our Premises for Ship Chandlery, &c. we have set a commodious Room apart upstairs with private entrance as a Reading Room. We have pleasure in notifying Captains and the Public that the following Papers are received every Mail, viz:—The Straits Times Extra, London Daily Times, Saturday Review, Spectator, London Review, Economist, U. S. Gazette, Army and Navy Gazette, The Press, The Pall Mall Gazette, Mitchell's Maritime Register, Illustrated London News, Punch, China Express, Australian and other Papers. Also the Local Papers consisting of the Daily Press, and Evening Mail. Entrance fee for Captains and Strangers will be $1, during their stay in Port and Residents 50 cents per month. This Room having been got up expressly to supply a want much felt in Hongkong by Captains and others it is to be hoped they will patronize it as a place of meeting as every convenience has been supplied that can be desired.
Entrance Tickets to be had on application to
TALBOT & Co.
tf 2270 Hongkong, 4th September, 1865.

Post-Office Notifications.

The mail for SHANGHAI.—Per "*Labourdonnais,*" will be closed at 5 P.M. To-day, the 9th Instant, instead of at the time previously notified.

A Mail will close
FOR SWATOW, AMOY and FOOCHOWFOO.—Per "*Asaf,*" To-day, the 9th Instant, at 4 P.M.

The mails for SWATOW, AMOY and FOOCHOW.—Per "*Undine,*" will close at 5 P.M. To-day, the 9th Instant, instead of at the time previously notified.

A Mail will close
FOR SHANGHAI.—Per "*Suwonada*" at 5 P.M. this day.

A French mail-packet service having been established between Shanghae and Yokohama (Japan) in connexion with the existing service between Shanghae and Hongkong, it is hereby notified that in future correspondence for Yokohama will be forwarded from this Office by each of the French Packets leaving this place for Shanghae.
Letters, &c. to be forwarded by these vessels must be marked per "Messageries Imperiales Packet————" and they may be forwarded either paid or unpaid at the option of the Sender, at the following rates of Postage, viz: For a letter
Not exceeding ½ an ounce in weight, 14 cents.
Exceeding ½ an ounce and under 1 ounce, 28 cents.
Exceeding 1 ounce and under 2 ounces, 56 cents.
Exceeding 2 ounces and under 3 ounces, 84 cents.
and so on adding 28 cents for each additional ounce or fraction of an ounce after the first ounces, Newspapers and Prices Current 2 cents each.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 27th September, 1865.

With reference to the Notification which was published in the *Government Gazette* No. 20 of the 20th May last, authorising the transmission of Books and Trade Patterns through the Post between Shanghae and the United Kingdom, it is hereby notified that the privilege has been extended to Canton, Swatow, Amoy, Foochowfoo, and Ningpo on the terms and conditions set forth in the said notification.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 28th September, 1865.

It is hereby notified for general information that arrangements have been concluded between the British Post Office and the Post Office of Prussia under which Patterns and Samples of Merchandise may be forwarded by the Post through the United Kingdom between Hongkong and Prussia at the same reduced charges and under the same general regulations which govern the transmission of Books;—the Postage at the following rates must in all cases be paid in advance.

FOR A PACKET OF PATTERNS.
Not exceeding 2 ounces in weight, 8 cents.
Exceeding 2 ounces and not exceeding 4 ounces, 16 cents.
Exceeding 4 ounces and not exceeding 8 ounces, 32 cents
Exceeding 8 ounces and not exceeding 1 lb, 64 cents.
And for every additional 8 ounces 32 cents.
The following are the States of Germany to which the new arrangements referred to apply, viz: Prussia, Austria, Bavaria, Saxony, Hanover, Wurtemburg, Baden, Luxemburg, Brunswick, Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Mecklenburg-Strelitz, Oldenburg, Hamburg, Bremen, Lubeck, and the Countries which are included in the Postal District of the Principality of Tour and Taxis, viz.—Frankfort on the Maine, Grand Duchy of Hesse, Hesse (Electoral), Hesse-Homburg, Nassau, Reuss, Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, Saxe-Meiningen, Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach, Hohenzollern, Schwartzburg-Rudolstadt, and Schwartzburg-Sonderhausen.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 29th September, 1865.

Intimations.

A CARD.
PROFESSOR WHEELER, would respectfully attract the attention of the Hongkong Public to the importance of having the Hair Cut, and Dressed in an Artistic manner and style. Appropriate to the Individual is the cut of the Hair; there can be no fixed or prevailing fashion without destroying almost universally the harmony of the *tout ensemble*. Indeed as diverse as is the *contour* of the human head and facial outline, just so peculiar should be the trim and arrangement of the Hair. This fact is acted upon by only those Hair-Cutters who possess an inherent judgment in matters of taste, cultivated and improved by incessant study and application. Of this rare class, Professor WHEELER, humbly claims to be one, and the Only One in this Colony, and he modestly but confidently invites all who may be distrustful of his ability to give him at least a trial before pronouncing an adverse opinion. He may be found at all hours of the day in his Apartments adjoining the Private Entrance of the Oriental Hotel.
tf 1960 Hongkong, 21st July, 1865

NOTICE.
BEING obliged to leave Hongkong on account of ill health, I recommend all my patrons who wish their Hair Cut and Dressed Artistically to call on Professor Wheeler, being the only one who thoroughly understands his Profession in Hongkong.
J. W. ELLIOTT.
tf 1961 Hongkong, 21st July, 1865.

OH sound the Lyre, the Tum-Tum and the Gong!
Awake, Ye Slumbering Denisens of Hong-Kong!
Professor Wheeler, Artist of renown
From New York, Boston, San Francisco Town
And other places famed in Song and Science
Has now arrived, with every new appliance,
Combined with those employed time immemorial,
Prepared to exercise the Art Tonsorial.
Others there are in town who ply the Shears,
But send their trusting Victims forth in tears
With Mutilated locks their friends all stare
And ask: "Why, who the Devil cut your hair?"
Why allow unskilled, and longtailed Chinese
Your Head to butcher, and your Purse to "squeeze?"
Upon this Isle, there is not a Hair Dresser,
Can justly claim the title of Professor—
Save Wheeler, who has spent his days in toil,
In Chemic Research "burnt the Midnight Oil";
And now by acclamation near and far
Of other Artists justly takes the *Pas*.
Hasten, Ye Unkempt, to his gay Salon,
Frequented by the Elite and Ton!
Dread no rebuff!—Noblesse or Parvenu,
Impartially he'll "Cut" "Shave," or Shampoo,
With Style Despatch and Neatness, at a Rate
It actually seems ridiculous to state;
Being no more—O Ye Illustrious Dead!—
Really,—No more than Fifty Cents A Head!
Come to the Hotel Oriental! there
Ready to Shave, or Dye, or Cut your Hair,—
Of blessings great benevolently the Dealer,—
From Morn till Night, you'll find
PROFESSOR WHEELER.
tf 2798 Hongkong, 2nd November 1865.

BOOKBINDING.
REDUCTION IN PRICES!
A. GINDELL, Bookbinder, in returning his sincere thanks to his friends and the public for the liberal support he has hitherto received, begs most respectfully to notify that he is prepared to execute all work entrusted to his care in a first rate manner at considerably reduced prices.
All his materials are of the best English Manufacture. Books of every description bound in the neatest and most elegant styles.
A. GINDELL,
Wellington-street.
tf 971 Hongkong, 23rd March, 1865.

WANTED ON BOTTOMRY.
FOR Repairs of the Hamburg Brig "*J. H. Bockelmann,*" F. Napp, Master, about Mexican Dollars 3000.
Apply to
EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.,
Agents for Captn. Napp.
tf 2648 Hongkong, 24th October, 1865.

THE undersigned calls the attention of the Public to his commodious Premises (formerly known as the Queen's Theatre) for the Manufacture Repair and Renovation of Carriages. There is always on view a large collection of new and Second hand Carriages, any work entrusted to his care will be sure to meet with approbation.
LEONARD BARNES,
Queen's Road East,
Formerly Queen's Theatre,
tf 2637 Hongkong, 10th October, 1865.

Houses, Lands, Tenements, &c.

TO LET.

PREMISES in Queen's Road Central, for Offices or Dwelling House.
For Particulars apply to
LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1460 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1865.

TO LET.
THE OFFICE Premises lately occupied by Messrs Gregory & Co., situated on Pedder's Wharf.
For particulars apply to
THOs. HUNT & Co.
1m 2949 Hongkong, 7th December, 1865.

PREMISES to Let with immediate possession Queen's Road East, opposite H.M.N. Dock Yard, containing Five Bed Rooms, Dining and Sitting Room, Kitchen, &c., &c., out Offices and Bath Rooms with Water laid on. Suitable for Offices, Officers Quarters, or Family Residence. Rent moderate.
Apply to
Mr. H. WINNEBERG.
tf 2769 Hongkong, 10th November, 1865.

TO LET.
A FURNISHED BED ROOM.
Address A. B. Daily Press office.
tf 2600 Hongkong, 15th November, 1865.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.
THAT newly erected commodious Dwelling HOUSE containing eight Rooms, Kitchen, Coolies Rooms, etc., also Stabling and Garden grounds situated next the residence of Captain Thomsett, West Point, between Bonham and Pokfoolum Roads on Inland Lot No. 757. For terms apply to Mr. Thos. M. Barrington, at Mr. Brooks, Auctioneers, Wyndham Street.
tf 2931 Hongkong, 6th December, 1865.

TO LET.
2 ROOMS with Servants Rooms suitable for Offices or otherwise in a good situation and commanding a view of the harbour with or without godowns.
Possession can be taken from 1st of February next.
For particulars apply at this Office.
tf 2935 Hongkong, 6th December, 1865.

FOUR new Large HOUSES on the Praya Eastward of the East Guard House, each having a two-storied detached Granite Godowns.
Apply to
J. M. D'ALMADA,
Bridges Street.
tf 2937 Hongkong, 6th December 1865.

THE premises presently occupied by Messrs Ray & Co. Possession can be taken from 1st day of January next.
Apply to
HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
tf 2873 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs Elmenhorst and Sander.
For particulars apply to
GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 863 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

THE No. 2 and No. 4 Two Storied Godowns in Spring Gardens, Praya, Marine Lot No. 24 and 25, with Offices, Comprador and Servants Rooms, and Cookroom, having a Capacity of 2500 Tons each.
apply to
J. J. DOS REMEDIOS,
tf 1991 Hongkong, 25th July 1865.

THE Upper Roomed Premises situated in Wellington Street, next to the Premises of Messrs. F. B. Cama & Co. well adapted for an Office and residence.
Apply to
P. F. CAMA & Co.
tf 2525 Hongkong, 9th October, 1865.

BOARD.
FURNISHED ROOMS to let with Board, suitable for respectable Persons; at moderate terms.
Married Couples.........$60 per month
Single Person.........$30 per month
H. J. CARR.
tf 2363 Hongkong, 16th September, 1865.

SIX GODOWNS in Queen's Road East, having sea frontage.
Apply to
TANG ALOE.
Canton Bazaar.
tf 1662 Hongkong, 12th June, 1865.

OFFICE and GODOWNS in the Queen's Road Central.
BIRLEY & Co.
111 Hongkong, 18th October, 1864.

TO BE LET.
UNFURNISHED. Part of a House in a healthy situation, and commanding a view of the harbour. For further information apply at this Office.
tf 2870 Hongkong, 28th November, 1865.

TO BE LET.
with immediate possession.
THE House in Elgin Terrace (formerly occupied by the late Chief Justice Adams.)
It contains Dining and Drawing Rooms, three large Bedrooms and two Dressing Rooms, two Bath Rooms, Servants Offices, and Stabling.
For further particulars apply to
N. M. at the Office of Mr. Hazeland Solicitor.
tf 2872 Hongkong, 28th November, 1865.

With immediate possession.
The Property known as "Almack Place," having a frontage of Eighty three feet on Wellington and Gage Streets and of two hundred and twenty nine feet on Aberdeen Street, comprising a superficial area of about 19000 square feet.
Annual Ground Rent £42.12.6.
For further particulars apply to
GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th February, 1864.

A COMMODIOUS BUNGALOW, with four Rooms, Outhouses, Stable and a small garden, situated at the Mosque Street, Rent $25 per month, possession can be had immediately on application to
J. M. GUEDES, Jr.
At Messrs. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 2835 Hongkong, le 21 Novembre, 1865.

TO BE LET OR SOLD
AT FOOCHOW.
A Newly-built Dwelling House, situated near Messrs. Gilman & Co., and lately occupied by the U. S. Vice Consul.
The above is a Two Story House of 7 apartments, and is well provided with Bathrooms, Out Houses, &c.
For particulars apply to
HEDGE & Co.
tf 2427 Foochow, 17th September, 1865.

THE LOWER PART of the Premises occupied by Messrs. Marsh & Co., with or without Godowns.
For particulars apply to
C. DAVID.
tf 2600 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

AT FOOCHOW.
THE Dwelling HOUSE, recently occupied by Messrs. Fletcher & Co.
Possession given at once.
For particulars apply to
HEDGE & Co.
tf 2184 Foochow, 10th August, 1865. 22-8

THE HOUSE, No. 10 Staunton Street, one Door West of Graham Street, containing 8 Rooms, besides Servants quarters.
Possession can be had on the 14th November, next.
Apply to J. H. Cox,
at Messrs. TURNER & Co.'s
tf 2553 Hongkong, 11th October, 1865.

TWO FLOORS of the Detached House in the Queen's Road of which the Offices of the undersigned form a portion, situated at the Corners of Ice House Street and Duddell Street.
The Floors comprise Nine Rooms and four Bath Rooms, with Kitchens &c. complete, and are suitable for either Two Sets of Offices or for a Dwelling and Offices.
The Two Floors will be let together or separately.
Apply to
R. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2212 Hongkong, 25th August, 1865.

WHARFAGE AND GODOWNS.
TO LET, GRANITE GODOWNS, abreast of the WANCHI WHARF, with or without use of the Wharf now completed, where vessels can be ladened and discharged.
Apply to
S. E. BURROWS & SONS.
tf 976 Hongkong, 24th March, 1865.

TO BE LET OR SOLD.
THE HOUSE and GODOWNS, at present occupied by Messrs. Lindsay & Co.
Apply to the Manager of the Bank of Hindustan.
tf 1518 Hongkong, 27th May, 1865.

To Let.

WITH immediate possession, BELMONT, a Detached residence with the adjacent Grounds at Pokfoolum, now occupied by Messrs. Siemssen & Co.
Apply to
GILMAN & Co.
No. 6 Praya.
tf 2253 Hongkong, 31st August, 1865.

Storage.

STORAGE may be had in that fine GRANITE GODOWNS, under Messrs. Bosman & Co.'s Office, Praya West.
For particulars apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 1924 Hongkong, 18th July, 1865.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.
THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals and other Merchandise in their own Boats and to receive the same on Storage in first class Granite Godowns on moderate terms.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 4th March, 1863.

STORAGE.
TO Let A fine GRANITE GODOWN, in the Eastern part of Wanchi.
For particulars apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 2727 Hongkong, 4th November, 1865.

STORAGE, can be had in Granite Godowns next to the French Consul at Duddell Street on moderate terms.
Apply to
RAY & Co.
tf 1778 Hongkong, 30th June, 1865.

Notices of Removal.

THE undersigned have removed to the premises No. 8 Queen's Road, adjoining Messrs. Muller and Claussen.
RAY & Co.
1m 2954 Hongkong, 7th December, 1865.

THE Office of the undersigned has been removed to Messrs. Johnson & Co.'s Godowns on the Praya No. 46, between Messrs. Bosman & Co.'s. and Messrs. John, Burd & Co's premises.
BAHLMANN & Co.
tf 1807 Hongkong, 4th July, 1865.

THE Offices of the Undersigned have this day been removed to the premises adjoining those of Messrs. A. Scott & Co.
SIEVERS & Co.
tf 2712 Hongkong, 2nd November 1865.

NOTICE.
THE Business of the Medical Hall and Soda Water Manufactory connected therewith is removed to the opposite side of the Road, in the premises lately occupied by Messrs. Holliday, Wise & Co., between Messrs. Turner & Co., and Messrs. Birley & Co.
6m 1776 Hongkong, 30th June, 1865.

THE Office of the Under-signed has this day been removed to Graham Street, No. 1 corner of Queen's Road.
ARNEMANN & Co.
tf 2917 Hongkong, 5th December, 1865.

REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.
Removed Eastward on the Praya No. 16,
Next to Messrs Bowra & Co.,
tf 2913 Hongkong, 4th December, 1865.

Hotel.

ORIENTAL HOTEL.
HONAM, CANTON.
D. B. VINES,
Proprietor.
tf 2449 Canton, 29th September, 1865.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.
Capital $300,000, in 3,000 Shares of $100 each.

THIS Company has been formed with the object of establishing and carrying on a large and First-rate Hotel and Family Hotel at Hongkong, for the purchase of the property and buildings necessary for the purpose, and for the purchase of the Lease and Business of the "Oriental Hotel" now existing in Hongkong, which, with its proprietary and the good will of the concern, will be absorbed into the Company.

The insufficiency of the existing Hotel accommodation in Hongkong to meet the wants and comforts of Travellers is notorious, and forms a continual subject of complaint; and this fact, coupled with the knowledge of the large profits made by the Proprietors of the two or three Hotels at present existing here, is, in the opinion of the promoters of the scheme, a reliable guarantee that a handsome return will be made to Shareholders on their capital invested.

Arrangements have been made for the purchase on advantageous terms, of the two houses known as "Kaying House" and "Marine House," both situated in the very central part of the Queen's Road, the former having in addition a frontage to Pedder's Wharf, which makes it the very best site for a large Public Hotel in the whole Colony.

The Provisional Directors have it in contemplation to so arrange the Public Hotel, as to afford not only accommodation for the large number of Travellers who have to stay in the Colony for a day or two, but also to have ample means of affording to residents here the facility of lodging in the House at stated Tariffs. A first-rate Table D'Hote (under the care of an efficient *Chef de Cuisine*, assisted by an ample staff), Billiard Rooms, Smoking and Reading Rooms, and the establishment of a room on the principle of the Jerusalem Coffee House in London, where Shipmasters may meet each other, their Charterers and Consignees, and which, being supplied with the very latest intelligence daily arriving from all parts of the World, may serve as an "Exchange" to the Colony,—are also portions of the scheme to be carried out.

The services of a Manager thoroughly conversant with the control and management of Hotels of this class will be secured, and he will be furnished with a full and proper staff of assistants and servants, so as to have the working part of the business carried on in a regular and efficient manner.

The greater portion of the Capital is already subscribed, and it is not doubted that a scheme which promises to supply such a want as is admitted to exist in this respect, to afford to residents facilities and accommodation never before to be had here, and at the same time to be a remunerative investment, will at once recommend itself to the Public.

The Company will be registered with Limited Liability, and the Articles of Association are in active preparation.

A call of $25 per Share will be payable on Allotment, and another call of a similar amount in three months afterwards. Further calls may be made by the Directors as need requires, subject to the restrictions of the Articles of Association and at never less than two months' notice.

Applications to be in the following form:—
To the Provisional Directors
of the "HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED."
Gentlemen,
I beg to apply for.........Shares in the above Company, and undertake, to accept the same, or any lesser number that may be allotted to me, and to sign the Articles of Association of the Company when called on so to do.
I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,
————*Name,*
————*Address,*

IN Pursuance of a resolution passed at the General meeting of Subscribers, held on Wednesday the 15th inst. further applications for shares will be received by the Provisional Committee at the office of D. Lapraik, Esq., until Friday the 15th of December next.
By order of the Provisional Committee
GIFFORD F. PARKER.
Secretary pro. tem.
tf 2871—28th N.

ROYAL HOTEL.
MACAO.
THIS first class Family Hotel, situated on the Praya Grande, and containing most airy and spacious apartments, is confidently recommended for its accommodation, to invalids and persons desiring a cool and healthy retreat in Summer.
tf Macao, 22nd April, 1864.

Educational.

St. SAVIOURS SCHOOLS,
Pottinger Street corner of Wellington Street
IT is most respectfully intimated to Parents and Guardians, that the New Schools lately erected in Pottinger Street corner of Wellington Street, in a style suitable to the wants of the climate and managed with a view of meeting the peculiar want of this Commercial Colony, are now in full operation.
The system of tuition adopted in these Schools is purely Commercial, Arithmetic, Book-keeping, Geometry, Geography, History, Grammar, Composition, Foreign Languages, Music, and Drawing, are taught by proficient resident Masters.—No objection is made to the admission of any Pupil on the score of religion nor will the religious feelings of any pupil be tampered with.
A suite of large Airy Rooms, has been opened in the same Schools for the reception of Boarder Pupils. To Boys leaving home for the first time, the change will be made as easy as can be by the kindness which shall be shown them and by the exclusion of everything materially coercive.
Further particulars may be known by applying to the Principal J. Borgazzi, who earnestly desires that communications be made before any boarder pupil is sent to the Schools.
St. Saviours Schools,
Hongkong, 30th November, 1864.

MRS. TALBOT begs to announce that at the suggestion and solicitation of Friends and parents of Children in Hongkong, she has been induced to open a School for Young Ladies, and trusts that by devoting her whole attention and constant kind care to the welfare and improvement of the pupils who may be entrusted to her charge to afford every satisfaction and ensure patronage.
The course of instruction comprises all the essentials of a sound English Education, with Music, Drawing and French if desired. Terms and any other particulars may be ascertained at Mrs. Talbot's abode, via: at the house of her parents No. 2, Lansdowne Terrace, Aberdeen Street.
Hongkong 3rd March, 1865.

Insurances.

THE ELPHINSTON INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for The Elphinstone Insurance Company of Bombay, are prepared to take Risks to the extent of one lakh of Rupees in Sailing Ships and one lakh and a half in Steamers, payable in Bombay, Kurrachee, Cochin, Colombo, Madras, Calcutta, Rangoon, Moulmain, Singapore, Shanghai, London, and Liverpool, at which Port the Company has organised branches.
JAMSETJEE, NUSSERWANJEE & Co.
499 Hongkong, 1st January, 1865.

LONDON AND LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Insurances against FIRE upon European Buildings and Merchandise, and upon Chinese Property.
LYALL, STILL & Co.
122 Hongkong, 20th October, 1864.

HAMBURG, BREMEN, FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
THE Undersigned are now authorised to accept assurance against Fire at Hongkong and at any of the open ports in China to the amount of Mexican $30,000 on one Risk.
Wm. PUSTAU & Co.
Agents.
Hongkong, 23rd March, 1861.

EASTERN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, REGISTERED.
THE business of this Company, has been Transferred to The HOME AND COLONIAL ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, who will settle all claims, on policies issued, by the first named Company.
TURNER & Co.
Agents.
tf Hongkong, 6th July, 1864.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Reduction in the Rates of Premium
UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance viz.:—
Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents. } ½ per Cent.
Other dwelling Houses, used strictly as such and their Contents } ¾ per Cent
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their Contents. } 1 per Cent
GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company.
tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Office, are prepared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies on any First-class Sailing Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay, or London.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 8th October 1863.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored herein.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against sea risks at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
1022 1.4 tf Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

THE COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.
Capital £2,500,000 Fully Subscribed.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for this Company are prepared to accept Marine and Fire Risks on the usual terms.
THE BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED.
tf 780 Hongkong, 16th February, 1865.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.
Capital—One Million Sterling.
THE Directors have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs. Holliday Wise & Co, as Agents for this Company at Hongkong, Shanghai, Canton, Hankow, and Foochow, who are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates, and of whom all needful information may be obtained.
By Order of the Board
JAMES B. NORTHCOTT.
Secretary.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at the usual Terms.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
208 Hongkong, 4th November, 1864.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are now prepared to accept Risks and to Grant Policies on the usual Terms.
THOMAS & MERCER.
tf 2594 Canton, 17th October, 1865.

GUARDIAN FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
Reduction in the Rates on Premium.
DETACHED and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents. } ½ per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their Contents, } ¾ per cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., &c. and their Contents, } 1 per cent.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.,
Agents
tf 2650 Hongkong, 24th October, 1865.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.
THE Undersigned having received extended limits from the Royal Insurance Company, are now authorised to issue Policies against Fire as follows, viz:—
On any First-class Building or on Goods Stored therein in Hongkong, $60,000
in Macao........$45,000
ROB. S. WALKER & Co
Agents Royal Insurance Company of Liverpool.
tf Hongkong, 8th May, 1865.

Insurances.

LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE,
137 Leadenhall Street, London,
JAMES HARTLEY & Co., *Managers.*
Established 1843.
THE Undersigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers.
THOS. SUTHERLAND,
Agent.
tf Hongkong, 17 March, 1863.

THE CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
THE Company has been Registered under "The Companies' Ordinance 1865," and Shareholders are requested to Sign the Articles of Association which will be found at the Office of the General Agents.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
General Agents.
tf 2573 Hongkong, 13th October, 1865.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Reduction in the Rates of Premium.
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents. } ½ per cent. per annum.
Other dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents. } ¾ "
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. } 1 "
GILMAN & Co.
Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
tf 886 Hongkong, 10th March, 1865.

LIVERPOOL, LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
The undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company, at this Port, are Prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of £10,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.
SMITH KENNEDY & Co.
Hongkong, 5th August, 1861.

LIVERPOOL, LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.
UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurances viz.:—
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town and their contents. } ½ per Cent
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents. } ¾ per Cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. } 1 per Cent
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
Agents Liverpool, London, and Globe Insurance Company.
tf 869 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Reduction in the Rates of Premium.
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from Town, and their contents } ½ per Cent.
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their contents. } ¾ per Cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and of their contents. } 1 per Cent.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents China Fire Insurance Company.
tf 873 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Subscribed Capital, Tls. 2,000,000
in 400 Shares, of Tls. 5,000 each
Paid-up Capital, Tls. 200,000
Directors.
George Tyson, Esq., (Messrs. Russell & Co.)—*Chairman.*
J. H. Bell, Esq., (Messrs. W. R. Adamson & Co.)
F. Porter, Esq., (Messrs. Gibb, Livingston & Co.)
J. Thorne, Esq., (Messrs. Thorne, Bros & Co.)
R. B. Tyers, Esq., (Messrs. Olyphant and Co.)
A. J. How, Esq., (Messrs. Johnson & Co.)
Agencies are established at the several ports China and Japan.
L. JOSEPHS,
Secretary.
Shanghai, 22nd August, 1861.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY (FIRE AND LIFE)
Capital Two Millions Sterling.
THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the risk of Fire on Buildings or on goods Stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on goods on board Vessels, and on hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual terms and conditions.
Proposals for Life Assurances will be received and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.
If required, protection will be granted on first Class Lives up to £1000 on a single Life.
For rates of premiums, forms of proposals, or any other information
Apply to
OXFORD & Co.
Agents at Hongkong and Canton.
1y 2721 Hongkong, 3rd November, 1865.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Company in Hongkong, are prepared to grant Policies, payable at any of the following Ports:—
London. Madras.
Calcutta. Melbourne.
Bombay. The Cape.
Kurrachee. Shanghai.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
Hongkong, 1st August, 1863.

PHŒNIX ASSURANCE.
UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurances viz.:—
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses, removed from town and their contents. } ½ per Cent
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such and their contents. } ¾ per Cent.
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. } 1 per Cent.
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.
Agents Phœnix Assurance.
tf 870 Hongkong, 8th March, 1865.

REDUCTION
In the rates of Premium for
FIRE INSURANCE.
THE undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the Royal Insurance Company to reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on private residences and or Furniture and effects therein contained.
In cases of Dwelling Houses removed from the Town the rate of premium will be three quarters per Cent in place of one per Cent per Annum as hitherto charged, and in cases of Residences, so situated being detached or semi detached the rate will be further reduced to one half per cent.
The Royal's annual rates for fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows until further notice, viz.:—
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses, (removed from the Town) and their contents...... } ½ per Cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their contents..... } ¾ per Cent.
Offices and Godowns, and their contents....... } 1 per Cent
China Houses and their contents....... } First Class, 1½ per Cent, Second Class 1¾ per Cent
Other Risks by Special arrangement.
ROBERT S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
tf 714 Hongkong, 7th January, 1865.

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
The undersigned are prepared to grant Policies in this Office on the usual terms and conditions to the extent of £10,000 on any one building with its contents, or to the extent of £5,000 on three or more separate buildings in the same occupancy, and also to the extent of £30,000 on ship in Harbour, or their Cargoes.
SMITH KENNEDY & Co.
Hongkong, 27th October, 1862.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.
In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year as the close of each current year, fifteen (15%) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rate to the amount of premium paid by each policy holder.
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, 10th November, 1862.

Insurances.

NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.
THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Hongkong and Canton, and are prepared to grant Insurance Policies against fire on brick and tiled godowns, Dwelling Houses, &c., and on goods and others property stored therein.
THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.
tf 2814 Hongkong, 18th November, 1865.

CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE COMPANY, "LIMITED."
Capital 1,000,000 Dollars.
In 200 Shares at $5,000 each
Managing Committee.
William Nelson, Esq., (Messrs Olyphant & Co.)
John W. McLellan, Esq., (Manager, Commercial Bank Corporation of India and the East)
Richard Deacon, Esq., (Messrs. John Burd & Co.)
General Agents.
Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
THE Head Office of the Company is at Victoria, Hongkong, and Agencies have been opened at the following ports where Policies for Marine Risks will be issued upon the usual terms.
At Canton, Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Foochow, Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Shanghai, Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Hankow, H. G. Bridges, Esq., at Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Kiukiang, John Pastorius, Esq., at Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Swatow, Messrs Bradley & Co.
At Tientsin, Messrs Ferguson & Co.
At Bangkok, F. Blake, Esq., at Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
At Saigon, Messrs W. G. Hale & Co.
At Singapore and Penang, Messrs Boustead & Co.
At Rangoon, Akyab and Bassein, Messrs. Niebuhr & Co.
At Manila, Messrs Russell & Sturgis.
At Yokohama, A. O. Gay, Esq., at Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.
Agencies at other Ports of China and Japan and also in India, Europe and America, will be shortly established.
Payment for losses will be made in London, India and wherever an Agency of the Company exists, in one Month after proof of loss.
In addition to the usual Brokerage of 10 (Ten) per cent, a further return of five per cent, upon Premia will be made to all Insurers with the Company.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
General Agents.
tf 2779 Hongkong, 11th November, 1865.

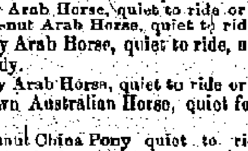
LIFE ASSURANCE.
THE undersigned have received authority for recent Mail to issue Life Policies by amounts not exceeding £1,000 without reference to the Head Offices, as was previously required by the Board.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
Agents, Royal Insurance Co.
555 Hongkong, 7th January 186[?]

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
BY the Undersigned, Cricket Bats, Balls, Stumps, Leg Guards, Batting and Wicket Keepers Gloves, Racket Bats, and Balls.
Also,
A large assortment of SADDLERY.
BONNETT & Co.
tf 2957 Hongkong, 8th December, 1865.

HANDSOME BOOKS, OPERA GLASSES, CIGAR CASES, etc.
BONNETT & Co.
tf 2958 Hongkong, 8th December, 1865.

TARLATAN DRESSES, FLOWERS and FEATHERS, Ladies and Gentlemen's KID GLOVES, best quality
Also,
Ladies and Gentlemens French BOOTS,
BONNETT & Co.
No. 1 Wyndham Street,
tf 2959 Hongkong, 8th December, 1865.



FOR SALE.
AT BUTCHER'S LIVERY STABLES.
1. A Grey Arab Horse, quiet to ride.
2. A Chesnut Arab Horse, quiet to ride.
3. A Bay Arab Horse, quiet to ride or drive.
4. A Chesnut Arab Horse, quiet to ride.
5. A Grey Arab Horse, quiet to ride, and has carried a Lady.
6. A Grey Arab Horse, quiet to ride or drive.
7. A brown Australian Horse, quiet for saddle.
8. A Chesnut China Pony quiet to ride or drive, double or single.
9. A fine Black Japanese Pony, quiet to ride 13 hands 2 inch, in height.
10. A Grey Rangoon Pony, quiet to drive, single or double.
11. A Bay Manila Pony, quiet to ride and has carried a Lady.
A Four Wheeled Carriage, nearly done up.
A Basket Carriage and Harness, nearly new.
Also,
A Park Phaeton, with Cover, built by a leading London maker, nearly new, with a pair of beautiful Grey Java Arabs, Harness and all fittings whatever complete. In full working order—an unexceptionable turnout.
tf 2854 Hongkong, 24th November, 1865.

FAWCETT & Co., are now landing Ex "*Violet*," Guiness' Stout, Allsopp's Pale Ale, Bass Ale in Hhds, and Hennessey and Martell Brandy.
tf 2884 Hongkong, 30th November, 1865.

AT the West Point Steam Mills. A Lot of Choice OREGON PINE PLANKS.
Apply to
DARRELL & Co
tf 2737 Hongkong, 4th November, 1865.

FOR SALE.
PRIME MESS PORK, in Barrels.
TALBOT & Co.
2w 2905 Hongkong, 4th December, 1865.

CAVITE No. 2 Cheroots and Cigars, in cases of 10 mils. Manila No. 2 Cheroots and Cigars, in Cases of 10 mils.
Also.
"Imperiales" in boxes.
"Regalia" in boxes.
"Londres" in boxes.
No. 1 Cheroots and Cigars in boxes.
No. 3 Cheroots and Cigars in boxes.
E. GARRETA,
Hollywood Road.
tf 2199 Hongkong, 23rd August, 1865.

COALS suitable for HOUSEHOLD purposes,
Apply to
R. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2815 Hongkong, 18th November, 1865.

Intimations.

OFFICE OF MARITIME CUSTOMS.
NOTICE is hereby given that an Iron Nun Buoy, painted Red, has been placed at Pagoda Anchorage, a little to the Northward of the wreck of the Steamer "*Chu-Paou Yuen*," in 7 fathoms at low water neaps. Vessels entering or leaving the Harbour can pass close to the Buoy on either side.
F. NEVILL MAY,
Acting Commissioner of Customs
3m 2646 Foochow, 17th October, 1865. 10-24

MANILA CIGARS AND CHEROOTS.
For Sale, Retail.
CERTIFIED CAVITES, CHEROOTS AND CIGARS. Very Superior and in prime condition.
per Box of 500,.....................$8
SUPERIOR GOVERNMENT CIGARS AND CHEROOTS. November make in prime condition.
per Box of 500,.....................$8,50
Apply to
L. J. da SILVA.
Office of this Paper.
tf 1452 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1865.

NOTICE.
DURING Operations being now carried on for the removal of the wreck of the Steamer "*Chu Paou Yuen*," all Commanders of vessels entering or leaving this Port are requested to give a wide berth to the boat containing the apparatus.
This boat will fly during the day a *Red* and *White* pendant, and will shew at night, a *Pale Blue* light.
JOHN C. BAYNTON,
Pagoda Anchorage,
tf 2892 Foochow, 25th November, 1865. n-30

Intimation.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned have the pleasure to inform the Dames du beau Monde of this Colony that he has just received by the Mail, Hairdressing Falschair of the latest mode de Paris which was constructed in Paris under the supervision of M. F. Louvet the Artiste des Coiffures des Dames. As the season of balls is approaching M. F. Louvet begs leave to express a hope that he will be patronized by the Ladies for arranging the hair a la mode du jour, and trusts that he will attain the same success here as he did in Paris during the last season.
N.B.—We as well as all others who have witnessed the skill of M. F. Louvet in his profession can appreciate the fact that he is a real artist at either arranging the coiffures of Ladies, or for the gentlemen's department, and we only fear that by further advertising we might be held for charlatans.
Just received, Ladies thick Gloves. Boots and Slippers, Eau de Cologne et de Pinand. Vinaigre de Toilette de Bully Eau Dentifrice. Bunt, Dr. Pierre. The much appreciated Lotion Végétale for the hair. Hair Oil, Medicines, Hair Brushes, Neckties.
JULES EUZIERE & Co.
Queen's Road, Central.
tf 2816 Hongkong 18th November 1865

THE LADIES AND FAMILIES
MADAME DELIAGRE begs leave to inform her friends and patrons, that her health having been sufficiently restored, she is ready to resume her occupation as instructor to young Ladies of the Piano Forte and of Singing. She is also desirous to obtain a few Pupils in the French language.
Letters to be addressed to Bridges St. No. 10, Or to the "Daily Press" Office.
tf 2303 Hongkong, 6th September, 1865.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS.
JOHN PATERSON,
Late with Messrs Logan & Co.
House and Ship Plumbers, Gas Fitters, and Zinc Worker.
Praya West, Achung's Yard, Next to Mr. Logan
tf 1150 Hongkong, 15th April, 1865

ONE or Two Gentlemen can be accommodated in a private establishment a short distance from the Queen's Road, where a view of the Harbour can be obtained.
Apply by letter B. at the Office of this Paper.
1102 tf Hongkong, 10th April, 1865.

TALBOT & Co
SHIP CHANDLERS, AND COMMISSION AGENTS.
No. 114, Queen's Road.
A READING ROOM, attached. Entrance fee $1.
tf 2823 Hongkong, 20th November, 1865.

NOTICE.
A Young Man European, would be glad to find an employment as Clerk, can Keep Books, and is conversant with French.
A very moderate salary would be accepted.
Address S. Office of this Paper.
tf 2069 Hongkong, 4th August, 1865.

WANTED on BOTTOMRY about $6000,—for Repairs of the Danish Schooner "*INGEBURG*" Captain C. Petersen.
For particulars apply to
E. & J. MEYER,
Agents for Captain Petersen
tf 2770 Hongkong, 10th November, 1865.

榮記煤炭 WING KEE, 興隆大街
HONGKONG,
ENDICOTT'S BAZAAR, No. 15,
Has for Sale
COALS OF ALL KINDS.
1y 935 Hongkong, 18th March, 1865.

NOTICE.
A Small box marked N/T, containing Silver Ware, received from one of the Coast ports per *Undine*, is lying at the Office of the Undersigned. The Consignee is requested to take delivery of same.
D. LAPRAIK.
tf 2768 Hongkong, 15th November, 1865.

ENGRAVINGS AND PHOTOGRAPHS.
JUST received per Mail Steamer,
A most beautiful and large collection of Engravings and Photographs, comprising the latest publication of Messrs Goupil & Co., of London and Paris Albums filled with fine Photographs, suitable for presents.
Catalogues gratis.
CHS. G GAUPP & Co.
tf 2818 Hongkong, 18th November, 1865.

NOTICE.
NEITHER the Captain, nor the Owners of the British Barque "*Pride of the West*" will be responsible for any debt incurred by the crew of said vessel.
W. CROWAN.
Master.
tf 2874 Hongkong, 26th November, 1865.

J. B. BUTCHER.
LIVERY and COMMISSION STABLES, rear of Murray Barracks.
Horses and Ponies received for Sale, purchased on Commission, and carefully broken to Saddle or Harness.
Harness and Saddlery &c., Repaired and Renovated.
J. B. will be very happy to call at the residence of any person requiring his services upon receipt of instructions addressed as above. Horses, Ponies, Harness and Saddlery always on hand and for Sale.
tf 2590 Hongkong, 17th October, 1865.

Intimations.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO, STEAM BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.
UNTIL further Notice, the Steamers of the Company will run between Hongkong, Canton and Macao as follows:—
Canton Route.
The Steamer "*KIN SHAN*," Captain Haskell will leave Hongkong for Canton, at 9 a.m. every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and will leave Canton for Hongkong, at 9 a.m. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.—
The Steamer "*FIRE DART*" Captain Benning, will leave Hongkong for Canton, at 9 a.m. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday and will leave Canton for Hongkong at 9 a.m. every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
Macao Route.
The Steamer "*WHITE CLOUD*" Captain Carroll, will leave Macao for Hongkong every day (Sundays excepted) at 8 a.m. and will leave Hongkong for Macao every day (Sundays excepted) 2 p.m.
SEASON TICKETS for Passage between Hongkong and Macao, available for Three Months, may be obtained upon application at the Office of the Agents.
By order of the Directors,
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
General Agents.
tf 2685 Hongkong, 25th November, 1865.

NOTICE.
Dr. D. JAYNE'S
CELEBRATED FAMILY MEDICINES.
THE increased demand for these Valuable Medicines, viz.—
Expectorant,
Alterative,
Hair Tonic,
Liquid Hair Dye, &c.
Has induced the proprietor to Establish an Agency for the sale of the same in this Colony and they can now always be procured wholesale or retail at the,
MEDICAL HALL,
37 Queen's Road.
1129 tf Hongkong, 13th April, 1865.

HONGKONG BAKERY.
DORABJEE NOWROJEE begs to inform the Public, that he has established a *Bakery* Fancy Pastry, and Confectionery business on his premises, Queen's Road, adjoining the offices of the P. & O. S. N. Company, and hopes from his long experience and careful attention to merit the patronage and support of the Public
Hongkong 4th August, 1860.

TELEGRAPH AGENCY, POINT DE GALLE.
MR. THOMAS CLARK continues to act as Agent for "REUTER'S TELEGRAPH COMPANY," and will receive and forward all Messages to Europe, or *vice versa*, by the Indo-European line, or via Suez, carefully registering the same.
tf 3-5 Galle, 13th April, 1865. 1829

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT & PILLS.
HOLLOWAY'S PILLS and OINTMENT have the largest sale of any Medicine in the World.
The Pills are the finest purifiers and regenerators of the blood ever known. They speedily correct all disorders of the Liver and Stomach, are invaluable in case of Dysentery, and as a general Family Medicine have no equal.
The Ointment will cure any old wound, sore or ulcer, even if of twenty years standing, and in all cases of skin diseases, however malignant, such as lepra, scurvy, itch, and all other annoying irritations of the skin, it may be relied upon as a perfect cure; in short, for all external complaints it stand unrivalled throughout the world. These famous Remedies can be obtained of all Patent Medicine Venders in Siam, Pekin, Hongkong, Shanghai, and in fact throughout the whole of China, India, and the Island of the Oriental Archipelago, with copious directions affixed to each pot or box in Chinese (or in any other language), and at a very reasonable price.
Agency in Hongkong:—The Hongkong Dispensary.
tf Hongkong, 30th October, 1863.

HONGKONG CITY HALL.
SHAREHOLDERS in the above Institution can obtain Scrip Certificates in Exchange for Provisional Receipts on application to Mr. J. McDouall, Hony. Treasurer, at the Oriental Bank.
tf 2555 Hongkong, 11th October, 1865.

NOTICE.
VICTORIA LIBRARY AND READING ROOMS, HONGKONG.
12 Wyndham Street.
THE LIBRARY being now open, Persons willing to become Subscribers are invited to send their names in writing to the undersigned.
By Order of the Board of Committee.
ALFRED S. POST.
Acting Hon. Secretary.
tf 2295 Hongkong, 5th September, 1865.

ALL Persons having Claims against Captain J. Sturje, and W. W. Wahlenberg, trading under the Firm of John Sturje & Co., are requested to send in their Bills for payment on or before the 10th September Next, and all Persons indebted to the said Firm are requested to make immediate payment.
JOHN STURJE & Co.
tf 2145 Hongkong, 16th August, 1865.

WANTED by a Young Man just arrived from the Colonies, a situation as Clerk in a Mercantile Office, can Keep Books.
Address E. Office of this Paper.
tf 1718 Hongkong, 22nd June, 1865.

HONGKONG MARKETS.

Sales on the 7th December, 1865.

Vendor	Goods Sold	Price	Purchaser
Bahlmann & Co.	2,000 pls. Black Sessamums (to arrive)	$ 4.10	Man-shing-loong
Mahomedboy & Co.	2,000 bags Bengal Rice	2.67	Wing-foong
Tye-shing-wo	100 bales Tientsin Cotton	29.00	Canton Merchant
Fook-cheong-shang	60 ,, Shanghai do.	29.65	Tye-yuen
Wo-lee-hong	100 ,, Shantung do.	30.50	Hoy-how Merchant
do.	350 pls. Black Sessamums	4.35	Toong-koon do.
do.	100 ,, Potatoe Flour	3.00	Travelling do.
do.	500 ,, Chinchew Persimons	6.65	do.
Fat-tye-hong	50 bales Tientsin Cotton	29.50	Canton Merchant
do.	10 boxes White Birdnest	951 a 1350	do.
do.	5 ,, Inferior do.	7.10a7.50	do.
Wing-cheong-hong	500 pls. Yellow Peas	2.50	Toongkoon Merchant
do.	300 ,, Black Sessamums	4.30	Amoy do.
do.	60 ,, Singapore Rice	12.70	do.
Kang-tyo-hong	10 boxes White Birdnest	1050 00	Canton Merchant
Hip-mow-loong	70 bales Shanghai Cotton	29 25	Kin-bam
Kwong-fook-tye	300 pls. Black Sessamums	4.60	Travelling Merchant
Kwong-hing-cheong	100 ,, Red Dates	4.00	Canton do.
do.	200 bags 100 lbs. Flour	3.10	Toong-koon do.
Wing-cheong-shun	200 pls. Rattans	3.60	Canton do.
Chan-yuen-hong	25 ,, Bicho de Mar	34.00	do.
do.	400 ,, Black Sessamums	6.40	do.
Yee-loong-hong	500 ,, Yellow Peas	2.65	Shk-loong Merchant
Kwong-fook-wo	100 ,, Red Dates	5.70	Travelling do.
do.	100 ,, Japan Shellfish	62.50	Kwong-man-tye
Sum-mow-hong	300 ,, Black Sessamums	4.30	Chinchew Merchant
Nan-cheong-loong	50 bags Tientsin Vermicelli	9.70	Canton do.
Hang-foong-hong	350 pls. Rattans	4.20	do.

FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS.

San Francisco, *16th September*, 1865.

The market is at present well supplied with tonnage, particularly of Foreign, with every prospect of large accession to the supply from China and elsewhere at an early day, as by last advices from Hongkong and Shanghai several ships were about sailing in ballast for this port, seeking employment. There is still a demand for vessels suited to the whaling business. We have elsewhere in these colums alluded to some sales for the purpose. We note the following engagements during the past fortnight: American ship Oracle, Wheat for Hongkong, on private terms; ship Orion, for Boston, said to be at about $30,000; British ship Jeannie Douglass to load lumber at Puget Sound for Callao, on terms withheld, thence to Chinchas, to coal for orders at £3; the Portlaw, Lotty Maria, and Florida to Nanaimo, for coal and return, at $4.75 per ton. The Ham ship Gœthe is reported as chartered to load Copper Ore for Swansea at £2.19s. The Br. bark Marian goes to Australia with Breadstuffs—if to Melbourne £2 5s. if to Sydney a trifle less. The Br bark Mary Hicks for a like cargo to same ports, on same terms. The Hellons has been chartered to carry Coal to Guaymas, for the French fleet, for the round sum of $5,000. The ship Saracen, now on the way to this port from Callao, has been sold for the Coolie trade at $32,000, gold. The Fr ship St. Jean is loading for Mazatlan and ports in Mexico, said to be at $10 per ton. The Br ship Egeria has been chartered to load Spars at Puget Sound for Cork for orders on private terms. The Knight Bruce has been taken up to load Barley for Iquique, on private terms. Ham bark Susane has a home charter to load Furs from Sitka to Constrandt. The disengaged are as follows: Manuel Velasquez Swallow, Nonpareil, Berengeria, City of Mobile, Isaac Jeans, Pearl Ozanan, and Albrecht Oswald.—*Mercantile Gazette.*

SHANGHAI LATEST QUOTATIONS.

Friday Evening, 1st December, 1865.

EXCHANGE.—*On London*—Bank Rate sight, 6s. 0d. per Tael; 6 m/s. sight, 6s. 2½d. Credits. 6 m/s 6s. 2¾d. in demand; Bills with Documents, 6 m/s 6s. 3½. per Tls.
On Paris—Credits, 6 m/s sight, Fcs. 7.85 per Tls. Documents, 6 m/s sight Fcs. 7.90 per Tls.
On Calcutta—Bank Bills accepted 3d/s. Rs. 297.
On Bombay—Bank Bills, accepted 3d/s. Rs. 296.
On Hongkong—Bank, 3 d/s. 26¾ per cent disct; Private 15 d/s. 27¼ per cent disct.
BULLION.—Mex. Dollars 72.9 Carolus 78.6. Gold Bars 98 touch, Tls. 163. Bar Silver Tls. 111. Copper Cash 1,320 per Tls.
OPIUM.—*Malwa, New*, Tls. 695 a 700. *Patna, New*, Tls. 470, a 480. *Benares*, Tls. 460.
FREIGHTS.—*To London*—Tea, £1 10s. Silk £3 per Ton of 50 feet.

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